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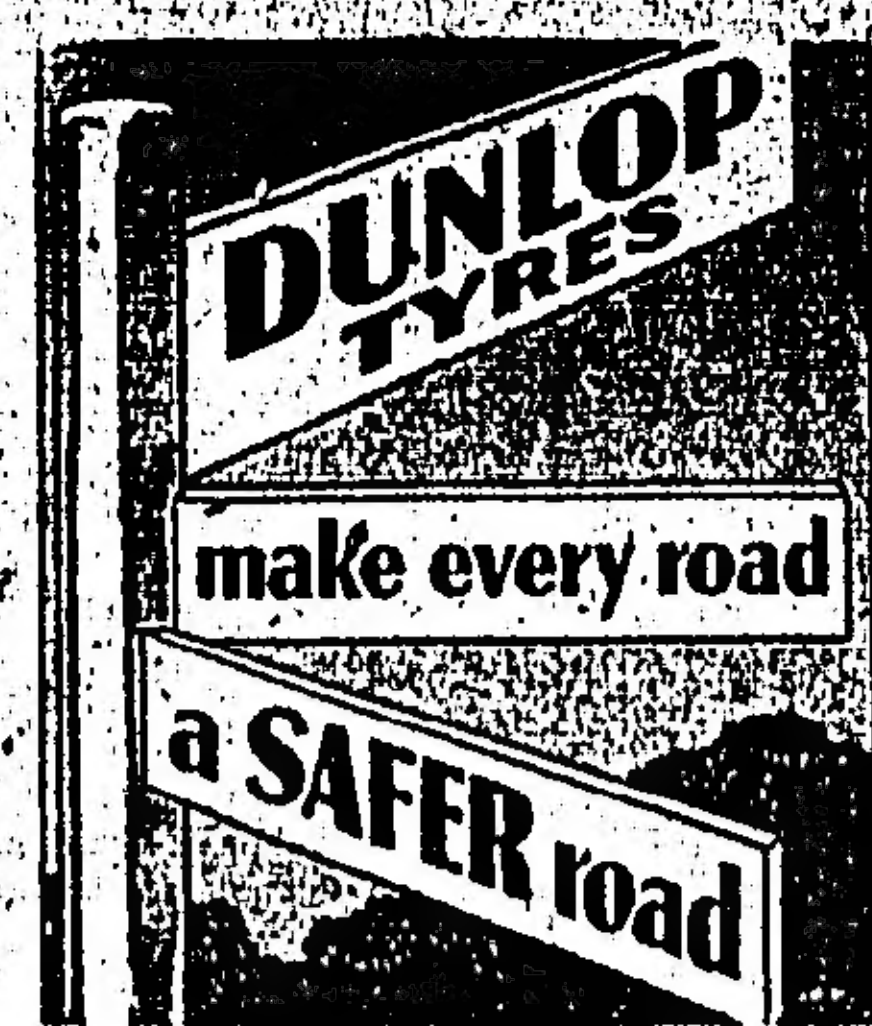
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ANARCHISTS WAGING WAR ON COMPANYS

Catalan's President Calls For Troops

SERIOUS FIGHTING FOR CONTROL OF BARCELONA

Perpignan, May 4.

At least 100 persons are reported to have been killed in fighting in Barcelona between anarchists and the supporters of the Catalan Government. The hospitals are crowded.

The Catalan authorities have installed tanks and machine-guns at strategic points in the city. At the moment the Government is believed to be in control of the centre of Barcelona, but the anarchists have the upper hand in the suburbs.

An earlier report stated that following fighting with police, the anarchists had gained control of most of Barcelona.

The trouble appears to have arisen when Government forces tried to dislodge anarchists from the Telephone Exchange Building, where they had installed themselves. The police were beaten off and chased by armed men into the suburbs. At this stage casualties were unknown.

It is also reported that the harassed Senor Companys, President of the Catalan Republic, has appealed for troops to come to his assistance from the fighting forces on the Saragossa front.—Reuter.

King Creates New Birthday For Himself

June Better Month
Than December
For Holiday

Although His Majesty the King was born on December 14, 1895, and will not be 42 years of age until the end of the year, his 42nd birthday will be celebrated in Hongkong and elsewhere in the British Empire on June 9.

The Telegraph is officially informed that June 9 has been chosen by His Majesty as the date to be observed throughout the British Empire as his birthday. Certain climatic and other conditions are understood to be the reason for this decision.

His Majesty's birthday will be celebrated not only next month, but on every June 9 of succeeding years. Owing to the proximity of the Coronation, it is not thought likely that His Majesty's birthday celebrations in Hongkong will be on a lavish scale this year. The day—a Wednesday—will be declared a public holiday, and a garden party will be held at Government House.

It is presumed that His Majesty's Birthday Honours will also be small, owing to the large list of Honours expected to be bestowed on Coronation Day.

Aquitania's Good Trip

Her Best Crossing
Of Atlantic

London, May 4.
The Cunard-White Star liner, Aquitania, which reached Southampton this afternoon from New York, completed the best steaming performance in her 23 years' career. She crossed the Atlantic between Ambrose Channel light vessels and Cherbourg breakwater, 3,199 nautical miles, in five days, eight hours and thirty-seven minutes, which is an average speed of 24.87 knots.

Her previous best average was 24.82 knots, accomplished last year after she had been fitted with four new propellers.—British Wireless.

CROWNING OF KING REHEARSED

His Majesty Attends
At Westminster

400 Notables Also
Participate

London, May 4.

The rehearsal of the King and Queen, quite unheralded, attended a rehearsal of the Coronation ceremony of Westminster Abbey this afternoon. King George VI, in a lounge suit and a bowler hat, and the Queen, wearing a dress and coat of palest biscuit, with a narrow brimmed straw hat trimmed with tiny pink roses, were received at the entrance of the Coronation annexe by the Earl Marshal of England, the Duke of Norfolk.

The rehearsal lasted for over two hours and was attended by over 400 notables, including the Princess Royal and Viscountess Lascelles, the Archbishops of Canterbury and York, and five Bishops.

During the rehearsal His Majesty wore the royal robes of crimson velvet and ermine over his ordinary clothes.

The crowning of the King was rehearsed four times by the Archbishop of Canterbury, with assistant clergy, who went through the ceremony by placing a dummy crown on the King's bare head. The Queen's crowning was not rehearsed.

The pages who will carry the King's train rehearsed their parts also. So did various dignitaries who will carry the royal Regalia.

It is said His Majesty did not seem in the least nervous during the ceremonial, though he was solemn and serious during the actual rehearsal.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

Chamberlain Aware Of U.S. Gold Purchase

London, May 4.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, stated at question-time in the House of Commons to-day, that he was aware that the United States Treasury had bought over \$500,000,000 in gold recently.

Co-operation, he said, was maintained by the Government of the United States and other parties of the tri-party agreement for the purpose of maintaining, as far as possible, an equilibrium among their currencies. In pursuance of this policy gold was purchased when necessary. No change in this respect had taken place, he said.—Reuter.

VESSELS LOADING REFUGEES

Taking Human Cargo
From Bilbao

French Ship First
To Leave To-Night

La Rochelle, May 4.

The French steamer Margaux, carrying 500 refugees, is due to leave Bilbao on to-night's tide. Two other French vessels, with capacity for 500 and 1,000 persons respectively, are leaving to-morrow.

These ships have been selected by the naval authorities here for this work of succour on the orders of the French Government. They will receive instructions as to their ports of destination when they are once on the high seas.

Men and women school teachers have volunteered to accompany children separated from their parents.—Reuter.

EFFORT TO PREVENT BOMBING OF TOWNS

London, May 4.

Measures to prevent the bombing of open towns in Spain were suggested by Great Britain at to-day's meeting of the Non-Intervention Committee's sub-committee which deals with such matters.

All the delegates concurred with the British suggestion that an appeal be addressed to both sides in the Spanish conflict. In fact, it was felt that an appeal might be made on a wider basis and the combatants asked to undertake to conduct future operations with the utmost regard for humanitarian considerations.

Pending the next committee meeting the delegates will consider the best method of appeal.—Reuter.

Hebe Hill For Kowloon Golf Club

Hebe Hill, it is stated, will be the new site for the Kowloon Golf Club, whose members were recently informed that they would have to find quarters other than on the Kowloon rifle ranges.

Definite proposals for removing the club from its present headquarters to a new ground in the vicinity of Hebe Hill have been approved in principle by the Kowloon Golf Club and Government.

Government may partly finance the change, but the club will probably be required to erect its own clubhouse.

Full story appears on Page 8.

High Tribute To China

Paid By Mr. Eden At
London Banquet

Ambassador Plays
Host To Notables

London, May 4.

At the banquet given to-night at Claridge's Hotel by Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese Ambassador, in honour of the Chinese delegates to the Coronation of King George VI, there were about forty Chinese and foreign guests. The room was charmingly decorated with spring flowers, and the occasion was noteworthy for the pleasant atmosphere of general easy friendliness.

The Chinese Ambassador, in proposing the toast of "The Guests," said: "Last year, at the time of the Chinese Art Exhibition, we Chinese proudly in London, and London was very China-conscious. To-day, the process is happily reversed, and the Chinese in London are enthusiastically Britain-conscious, heartily submerging themselves in the universal manifestation of respect and admiration for the new King and Queen."

DESCENDANT OF CONFUCIUS

Mr. Quo Tai-chi drew attention to the fact that Dr. H. H. Kung, the head of the Chinese delegation, was not only Vice-President of the Executive Yuan, but was also the seventy-fifth lineal descendant of Confucius. He was thus an embodiment of the two ways in which China and Britain meet in unity of instinct. (Continued on Page 12.)

ITALIAN TURNS LOYALIST



This picture was received from Madrid, with the assertion that the soldier at the left is an Italian who deserted from the Spanish Royal forces with his machine gun and gas mask, to the Loyalist ranks. Note that he shyly raises his clenched fist in the Leftist salute, instead of the open-hand Fascist gesture.

Britain Garbed In Finery For Coronation Day

WHOLE COUNTRY INFECTED WITH SPIRIT OF GAIETY

Work to Settle Busmen's Strike Behind Scenes

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, May 4.

With only one week remaining before the glittering ceremony of the Coronation itself, London has gone thoroughly gay. The route of the Coronation procession has become a fairland of coloured bunting, red, white and blue decorations, while nearly all the public stands have been completed and will accommodate hundreds of thousands of spectators, who will pay anything from half a guinea to 20 guineas for a seat.

The masonry of the upper stories of Oxford Street has literally been ripped open to provide a view of the procession to sight-seers.

It is estimated that London at present is entertaining 1,000,000 visitors. An armada of huge overseas liners is packed to capacity with people from all parts of the world, arriving daily at the various seaports, in bewildering succession.

All the Dominions' Prime Ministers and the Empire's contingents of sailors and soldiers have now arrived.

On Coronation Day 10,000 members of the St. John Ambulance Brigade will cope with the vast crowds' casualties at 35 dressing stations and 60 first aid stations.

The whole country is infected with gaiety. The smallest villages, like the towns and cities, are ablaze with bunting and decorated with all manner of patriotic devices.

The only disappointment in London is over the failure of the busmen to settle their strike, but even this the people are accepting with their usual good humour, despite the heavy congestion in underground trains and all other forms of conveyance. Efforts are being directed towards securing settlement of the dispute before the week-end.—Reuter Special.

STRIVE FOR SETTLEMENT

London, May 4.

It is understood that definite moves are proceeding behind the scenes to try to get London busmen to resume their work towards the end of the week.

It is gathered that the aim is to get the men to return to work, on the ground of a complete settlement, but on the basis of a resumption of work pending negotiations on a pre-arranged plan for final settlement.—Reuter.

Trolleys And Trams Likely To Strike Too

London, May 4.

The definite possibility has arisen that tram and trolley-bus men may strike in sympathy with the London bus-workers.

Delegates of the workers are meeting to-day and will demand "plenary powers for strike action" from the executive of the Transport Workers' Union.

According to the secretary of the Western Area Trolley-bus Co-ordination Committee if the demand of the men is refused they are likely to take unofficial action.—Reuter.

COLONY DEFENCE BILL TOO HEAVY

Hongkong May Ask For Rebate This Year

VOLUNTEERS AND ANTI-GAS WORK COSTS MOUNT

It is possible that the Hongkong Government may request the Imperial Government to rebate part of the Colony's contribution for defence in order to finance the measures adopted for protecting the civilian population against gas warfare.

A preliminary estimate of the cost of air raids precautionary measures is \$1,000,000. Government has accepted, in principle, the plans calling for this expenditure.

Part of the expenditure will probably be provided for in the Budget for 1937-38. But the financial position may render it necessary, it is understood, to appeal to the Home Government for financial assistance.

BROOK'S MACHINE DAMAGED

Surprise Landing On
Boggy Rome Field
Record Is Still
Within Reach

Rome, May 4.

H. L. Brook, attempting a record-breaking flight from Capetown to London, met with further misfortune to-day. He made an unexpected landing here this evening, his plane running into rain-soaked ground and breaking a flap.

Brook told Reuter that the airport authorities had promised to repair his machine in time for him to take off at 5 a.m. to-morrow morning.

The alarm, who was thoroughly exhausted after flying from Wady Halfa in the morning, remarked that he was still well ahead of Miss Amy, Molisson's record.

Brook was to have created a new record on his outboard flight to the Cape from London, but was forced down in Africa, at Bor, 100 miles north of Juba. This mishap spoiled his chances for a two-way record, but on his present flight, if repairs can be effected in time, he has an excellent chance of beating previous times for the long jaunt.—Reuter.

Partitioning Of Palestine Unacceptable

Jerusalem, May 4.

The High Arab Committee to-day issued a statement completely dissociating itself from the rumours with regard to the partitioning of Palestine.

It is declared that the Arabs did not waver from their insistence on the fulfilment of their demands, presented to the Royal Commission investigating the Palestine troubles. A partition of the country between Arabs and Jews would, not, be tolerated. It was stated.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

HOUSE DEBATES LIVESTOCK

BILL EXPECTED
TO PASS

London, May 4.

For the second day in succession, the House of Commons discussed the livestock industry, on the report stage of the Bill embodying the Government's long-term policy, and making provision for a subsidy to producers of fat cattle, for regulation of imports, and for reorganisation of slaughtering and marketing.

It is hoped to secure the third reading of the Bill before the House adjourns to-night.—British Wireless.

The Telegraph understands that the estimate of \$1,000,000 is the least amount that can be spent on air raids precautions. An estimate from a military source last year placed the minimum expenditure necessary to ensure comparative safety at \$3,000,000. This is in addition to the large sums that will be spent by the Imperial Government on the aerial fortification of the Colony.

Hongkong's military contribution is used as part payment for the defence of Hongkong. But the air raids precautionary measures adopted by the local committee are the responsibility of the local authorities, and expenditure under this heading must come from general revenue.

The Military Contribution to the Imperial Government amounts to 20 per cent. of the revenue (less certain items) of the Colony.

Since 1926, Hongkong's contribution to Imperial Defence has totalled the staggering sum of—\$55,051,390. The estimated Defence Contribution for the coming year is \$5,370,000, an all-time record in our history with the exception of 1932 and 1933.

In addition, Government has expended \$1,390,046 on the Hongkong Volunteer Forces since 1926. The estimated cost this year is \$185,369 for the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, and \$42,914 for the Hongkong Naval Volunteer Force. Both these figures are records.

Influx Of Chinese To Colony Seen

May Create Serious
Problem Here

Hongkong may soon become the refuge of the many thousands of Chinese who are seeking to escape the severe conditions being imposed on the populace of certain parts of South China.

This view is put forward by the Editor of St. John's Review, the magazine of St. John's Cathedral.

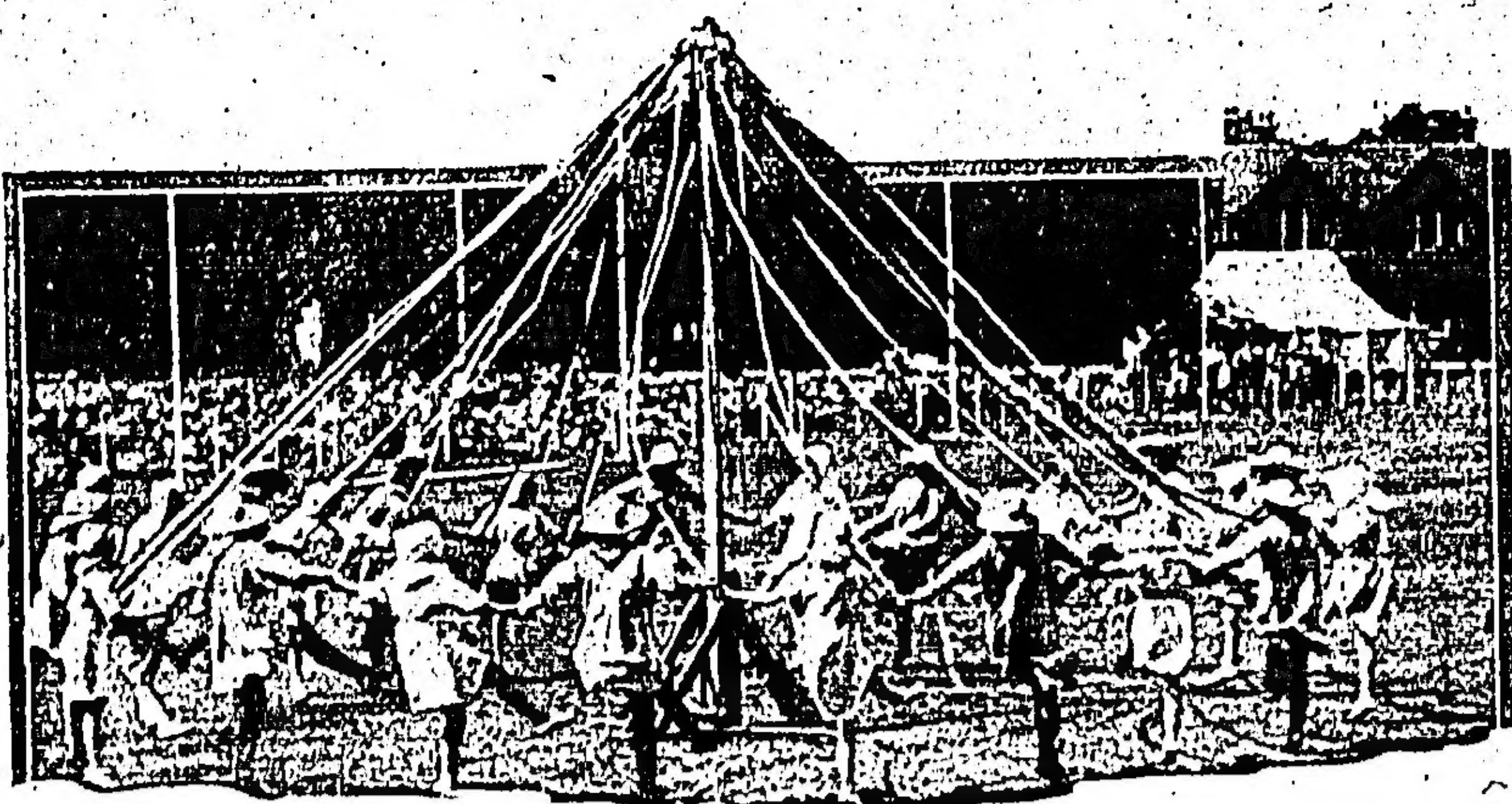
The writer points out that every schoolboy in Kwangsi is in uniform, and has to submit during his school career to a most exacting military control.

These are the only conditions upon which a higher education can be obtained.

"The villages must provide schools and reorganise themselves, everyone must contribute his service without payment to the construction of roads, and the men must undergo in the local militia a training that will fit them for the defence of their homes."

"If this spirit spreads throughout China, as it very well may, it will have considerable effect in Hongkong. In addition to this, there is the rapid improvement in methods of transport and the consequent elimination of the vast army of carrying coolies, whose sole qualification for making a living lies in their physical strength, and who will, during the period of transition, suffer heavily and thereby increase the number of beggars."

"Thus the problems for the Colony will be even greater than they are, and will be increasingly difficult to solve."



MAY DAY Feastings

FROM time immemorial the first of May has been a day of rejoicing and feasting in Britain and over a large part of Europe.

It is chiefly in the West Country that traces of the old "Junketings" survive. Old people still recall the days when early in the morning the young people of Devonshire went to the woods, where they cut down their Maypole and decked it with a garland, then bore it back with poles of flowers and sweet-smelling herbs, to the green where later the old dances were performed.

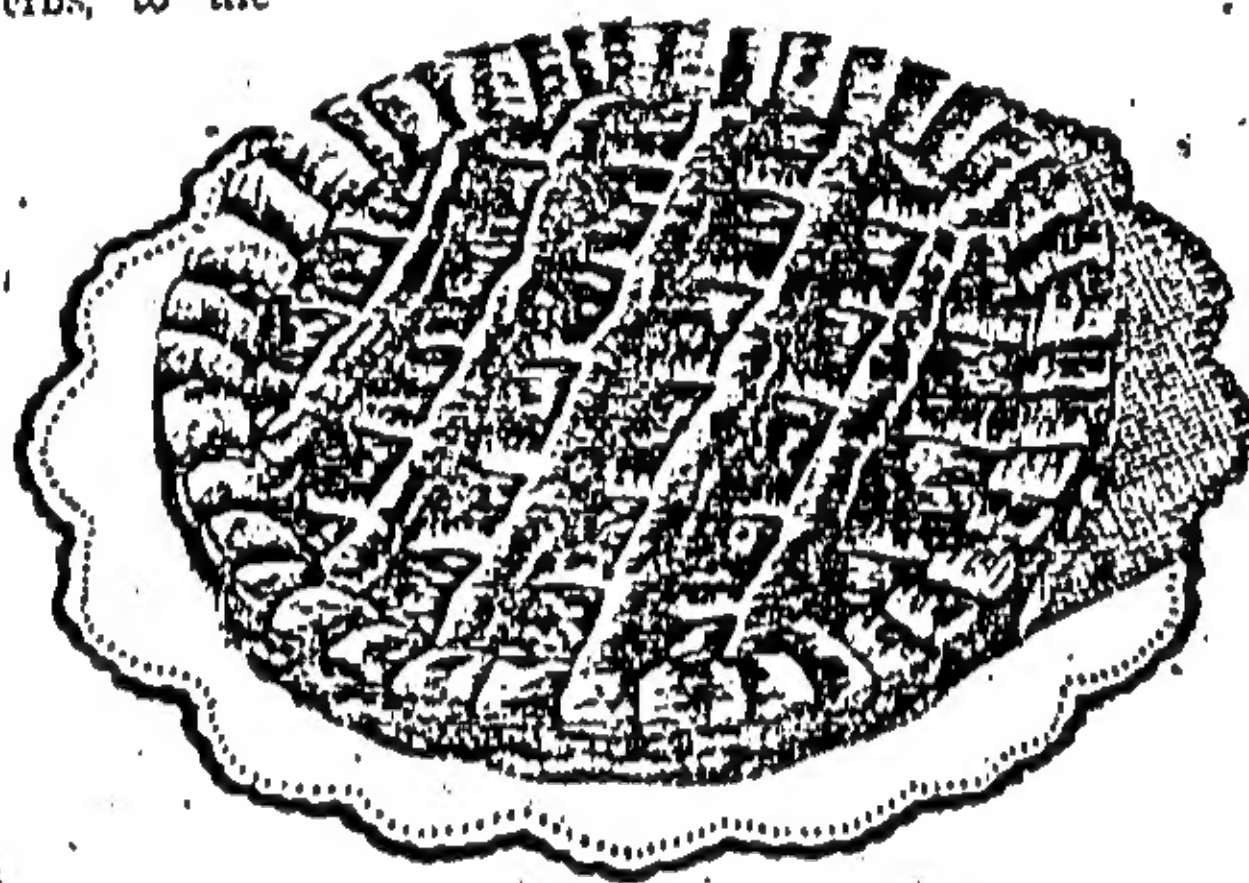
Cakes and ..

The old chronicler tells also of a "heavy country cake made of flour, cream, sugar and currants," which was eaten on these occasions to the accompaniment of liberal portions of rum and milk.

Cornwall is one of the last fastnesses of the old traditional May Day ceremonies. These arriving at a house with garlands of flowers with which to deck the home were rewarded with great bowls of junket, and cream, sometimes "iced" with brandy or port.

May Day was essentially the milk-maids' festival. In many towns and villages the girls, wearing their favourite cows—Ruby, Sweetlips, Strawberry—with loops of garlands and sweet herbs twined in their horns, through the streets. This was a scene not unknown to the London of those days.

Lancashire and Cheshire, Derbyshire and many parts of the North Midlands had similar traditional celebrations down to the 70's and 80's of last century.



An open jam tart is a family favourite.

.. Then & Now!

Decorative Veils

THIS spring veils are purely decorative. Our artist has sketched a hat of the pill-box type that is trimmed with a bunch of blue and white violets set slightly to the side.

The accompanying veil is of a very fine mesh and descends midway between brow and chin—very becoming to those who can't wear a brimless style.

The crowns of many hats are composed entirely of flowers, and if you want to be really up to the minute and add a further gala note, pin a large posy to match at the right spot on the

lapel of your

tailor-made.

Another pretty

idea for hat-

crowns models

is to have a ban-

deau cut very

low over the hair at the back, massed

with tiny blossoms of rambler roses

or marguerite daisies.

Many veils are on elastic so that

they can be transferred from one hat

to another—useful on a morning when

you can't look a brave new day fully

in the face.



Cakes & Pastries for Tea

of salt, and cold water for mixing. Line a plate with the pastry. Trim the edge by pressing all round with a fork, prick the centre and spread with jam.

Roll out the trimmings, cut into strips and twist, then place criss-cross over the pie. Bake in a hot oven for 20 minutes.

The old custom of dancing round the Maypole still lives in many parts of the country.

Custard Tart

Something else that's nice for tea—a morish custard tart.

Make 6oz. short crust pastry (ingredients as in the recipe for jam tart), and line a sandwich tin with this. Warm 1pt. milk and beat 2 eggs and 1oz. sugar together slightly. Add a pinch of salt, and the milk.

Pour all into the lined tin, first prick- ing the pastry to prevent it rising. Sprinkle with

grated nutmeg and bake in a moderate oven for 40 minutes.

Now some fairy cakes for tea. They will prove popular among the young folk.

Beat 2oz. Spry and 2oz. sugar to- gether, add a beaten egg gradually.

Sieve 2oz. flour and 2oz. cornflour with 1 teaspoonful baking-powder, and add to the creamy mixture. Add milk until the mixture is fairly soft.

Brush small bun tins with melted

Spry, fill three-quarters full, and bake moderately for 10 minutes.

To make these cakes extra nice for

parties, cut off the tops when cool and put a spoonful of whipped cream on

each cake. Then cut the tops in half and replace to form wings.

tury, but in every case, no matter how widely the local celebrations differed in character, junket was the seasonal dish in cottage and in castle.

Junket, by a dozen different names and made a dozen different ways, was known and made from very ancient times, from Kent to the Shetlands.

From the simple milk, curdled with rennet and allowed to set overnight, to highly seasoned milk dishes with wine and spices among the ingredients.

Norwegian Custom

To this day in the far northern Isles and in parts of Norway, the May Day junket is simply fresh milk "strained" or "soured," by the addition of the juice of the graceful little streamside plant, the butterwort, and allowed to stand until firmly set.

The modern dietitian would encourage the revival of the Junketings of our ancestors, though he, like Cromwell, might consider brandy or rum conducive to a too enthusiastic celebration of the occasion.

Now, to celebrate this May Day of 1937, when hearts are light and gay with the coming of brighter weather, here is something new to make our pastry and cakes light, too.

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An open jam tart, with appetising criss-crosses of golden pastry, like the one illustrated, simply melts in your mouth, if made with Spry and cool hands.

Use 6oz. short crust pastry, made with 8oz. flour, 4oz. Spry, a good pinch

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DINNER

MENU

Filets of Plaiice Meuniere

Boiled Chicken and Curry Sauce

Boiled Rice Mango Chutney

Fresh Fruit Salad

ALLOW a fillet of plaiice for each person. Cut small gashes in the fish, rub in salt, pepper, and the juice of half a lemon, and stand for 10 minutes. Then dip in milk, dredge with flour, and fry in butter. Put in a hot dish, add the juice of half a lemon to the butter in which they were fried, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, and heat thoroughly before pouring over the fish.

Curry sauce adds flavour to a boiled chicken. Peel and slice 6 onions and 3 apples, cook in 3oz. of butter until tender, then add a good tablespoonful of curry powder, mix well, and add a pint of the stock in which the chicken was cooked. Stir well and cook for 20 minutes, rub through a sieve, thicken if liked, and serve very hot.

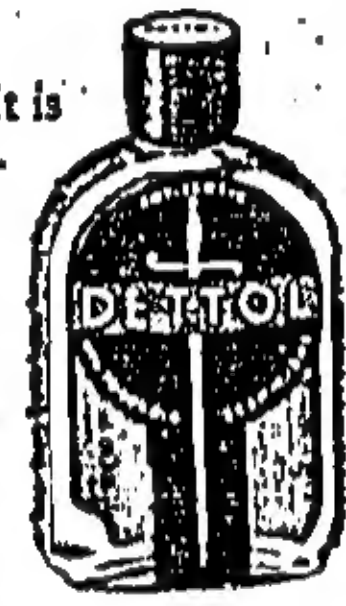
For the fruit, make a syrup with 6oz. of caster sugar and a gill of water, pour over the fruit while hot, and leave to cool.



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what children are—always falling and cutting their knees and grazing their hands. I don't regard such things as trifles: I had a young brother who died of blood-poisoning. Tell me, is there no efficient antiseptic I can apply at once with perfect confidence?

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If you want to meet all the members of this extensive family you must go to Soho. In the Italian shops there you will find all kinds of unexpected varieties, but in the big stores there are usually to be had nearly a dozen different varieties of macaroni, spaghetti, vermicelli and noodles, as well as letters, shells and stars for use in soup. Wholemeal macaroni makes a change sometimes, and in varying the ways of cooking the paste, it is interesting to try different members of the tribe.

The secret of cooking all these varieties is to have your water salted and boiling hard, and so generous that the pieces of macaroni can almost swim in it. Sudden macaroni is usually due to insufficient water, so that the strands adhere to each other.

The Italians take endless trouble with the sauces they serve to make their staple food exciting. Try these with your next dish of spaghetti or macaroni.

Ham & Mushroom Sauce

Cook a cupful of chopped celery and a cupful of chopped onions in

1½ cupfuls of good stock, and when tender add ¼ cupful finely shredded ham and 4oz. of chopped cooked mushrooms. Season well, thicken if necessary with a little flour, and pour over some cooked macaroni or spaghetti, and decorate with sliced hard-boiled egg and paprika.

Horseradish Sauce

Mix together 4 tablespoonful of sugar, a teaspoonful of dry mustard, ½ teaspoonful salt, a tablespoonful of vinegar, 2 tablespoonfuls of tomato ketchup, a cupful of good stock, and ½ gill grated horseradish. Heat together, and pour over 6oz. of ribbon macaroni that has been cooked, rinsed and drained. A little cream can be mixed with the macaroni before the sauce is added. Serve very hot with roast beef.

Spaghetti Souffle

is made by mixing about 6oz. of cooked spaghetti with a pint of thick white sauce. Add 5 beaten egg yolks, a grated onion, a tablespoonful of chopped parsley salt and pepper. Cook, then fold in the stiffly whipped egg whites, pour into a greased dish,

and bake in a hot oven for about 20 minutes. Serve with mushroom or tomato sauce. More or less spaghetti can be used according to taste.

Noodle Loaf

Noodles are a flat edition of macaroni, made with eggs. Mix together ½ pint cooked noodles, 1½ gills fine breadcrumbs, 2 beaten eggs, a gill of grated cheese, ½ pint cooked tomatoes, a tablespoonful of melted butter, and seasonings of salt, pepper and made mustard. Bake in a greased dish in a moderate oven for about thirty-five minutes, turn upside down and garnish with parsley.

Macaroni Fritters

are made by chopping some cooked macaroni and mixing it with thick white sauce. Flavour with grated cheese and tomato ketchup, make into flat cakes on a floured board. Brush with beaten egg, fry in boiling fat and drain. These can be used as a sweet if the cheese and ketchup are omitted, the white sauce sweetened, and the fritters served with jam.

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WHOLESALE DESERTIONS FROM LEGION

Italo-German Propaganda Has Serious Effect On French Force

LEGIONAIRES LEAVE MOROCCO DESPITE RISK OF PUNISHMENT

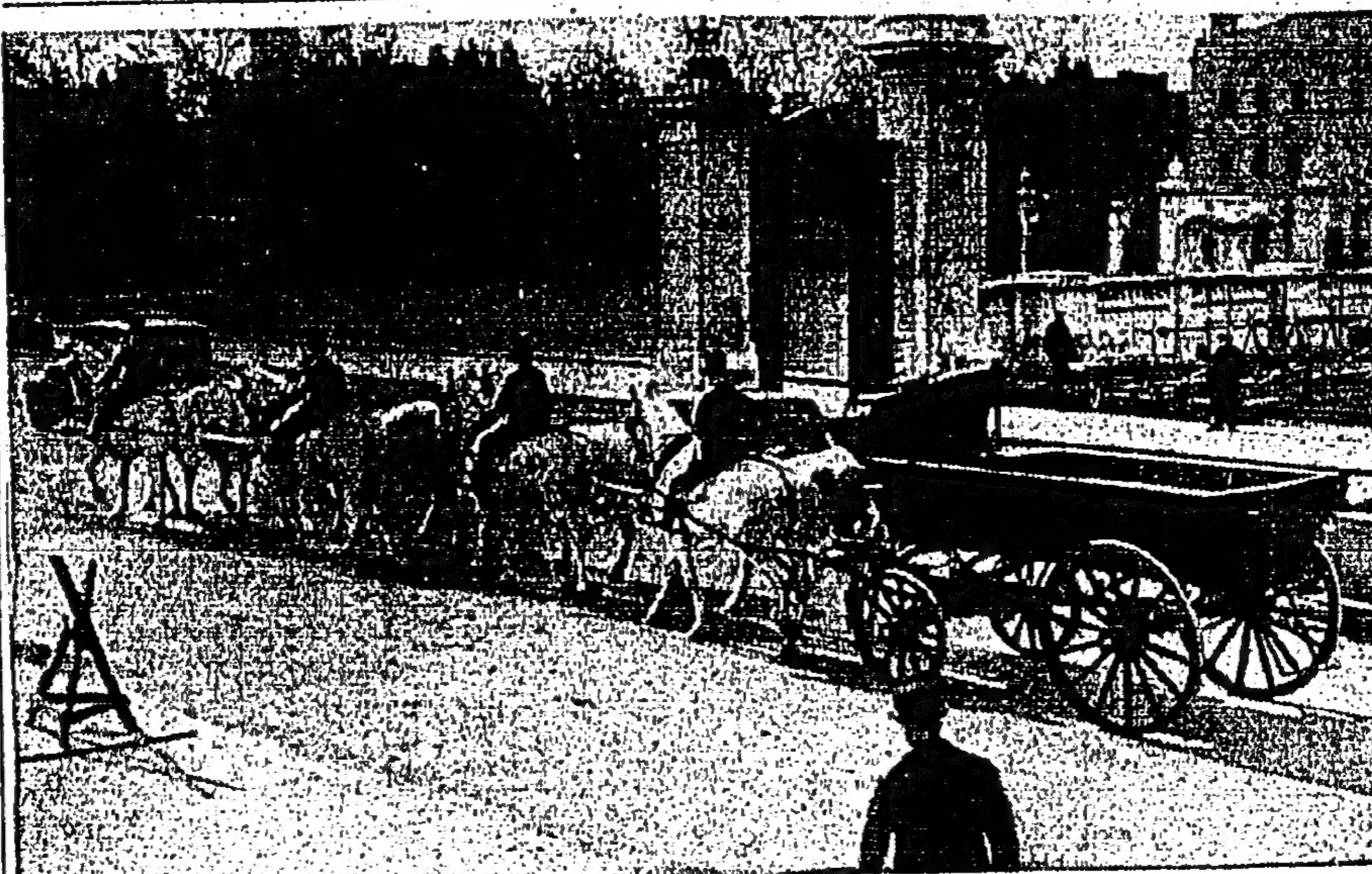
Widespread desertions by Italians and Germans from the famed French Foreign Legion because of Italo-German propaganda since the start of the Spanish civil war are reported in the following dispatch by Jean Perrigault of the United Press North-African staff, who was the first reporter for an American news service to reach the Spanish colony of Ifni on the West Coast of Africa.

By JEAN PERRIGAULT
United Press Staff Correspondent
Extreme South Morocco. (By Camel Caravan and Airplane).

"Adieu Napoleon, Heil Hitler. Viva Mussolini."

These words were painted on the side of a truck from a French Foreign Legion outpost at Foun El Hassane a few days ago, just before two legionnaires deserted and tried to reach Rio de Oro in the truck.

They may well be the keynote of the entire intensive propaganda campaign from which the famous North African army has been suffering during the past year, climaxed by Chancellor Adolf Hitler's decree that any German enlisting loses his nationality.



The famous mottled greys of Windsor which will draw the Royal coach during the Coronation procession, recently made a trial tour along the route the Royal procession will follow next Wednesday. The photograph shows the team passing the castle.

Jewish Girls Fail As Wives

—SAYS RABBI

THE modern Jewish girl is a failure as a wife, according to a famous Jewish rabbi.

Jewish religious and educational bodies state that the cause is lack of interest in their religion.

Leaders of Jewry are inaugurating a "girls' week" as an appeal to parents to see that their daughters have more religious instruction. "Girls seem to have been neglected by their parents these days, and when they marry they cannot keep their homes together," said Rabbi M. Gollop.

PARENTS' APATHY

"The attendance of girls at religious instruction are a long way behind the boys, particularly between the ages of 14 and 20, and this seems to be due to parents' apathy."

"I do not say there is anything wrong morally, but they do not go to synagogue. The result is that during the most difficult age Jewish girls are liable to get lax and even throw religion over."

"Our aim during 'Girls' Week' will be to bring back our girls to a true sense of their religious responsibilities."

The appeal during "Girls' Week" will be made to encourage the adolescents who seem to lack something their parents have had in the past.

Their parents can and did keep their homes together, Jewish authorities believe, through religious life.



"You're very wise to ask the way in which you can help them most."

"Make sure of internal cleanliness by giving them a regular weekly dose of California Syrup of Figs. This is especially important with children at the critical age, like yours, who are working hard for their exams. There's nothing pulls them down more than poison in the system—it affects their general health making them liable to catch any infection that's going about."

"In my experience 'California Syrup of Figs' does far more than simply cleanse the system. It acts quite naturally, and gently and keeps the digestion healthy and active."

"I find 'California Syrup of Figs' equally good for adults, especially for women. As a matter of fact, Mrs. Bartlett, I use it myself and recommend you to adopt it for the whole family."

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Wanted: A Second-hand

Trouble In California

San Antonio, May 10.
Charles A. Demers, surgeon, sailor and accomplished lover, has postponed plans for his seventh marriage.

The postponement resulted from the fact that he failed to get divorces from his first six wives. For that little oversight the gay Lothario from Fall River, Mass., was sentenced to five years in the Leavenworth Penitentiary. Judge R. M. McMillan also fined him \$1,000.

Demers pleaded guilty to the charges, but he questioned one point in the government's accusations. He said he thought he was only five divorces behind, instead of six. "I'm not sure, but I think my first wife divorced me a couple of years after I left her," he said. His first wife, he said, was Lena Diamond. He said he married her in Massachusetts in 1922, "shortly after I was graduated from surgical school in London."

The versatile, 38-year-old heart-breaker, who also was an electrician and did a little preaching on the side, said he wooed his wives "in 14 languages."

GOT HIM IN DUTCH

His statement to the court said that after leaving his first wife he married Virginia Dunston in Alabama in 1931; Adele Gillette in Houston in 1933; Hazel Smith in Alabama in the same year; Gwendolyn Pittinger, pastor of the four-square gospel church, in Santa Barbara, Calif., in 1934; and—wife No. 5—Clyde Alexander, former San Antonio, Tex., whom he married in Memphis, Tenn. "It was this sixth wife that got me in Dutch," he said sadly.

It was after he married Miss Alexander that she—and federal officers—learned of the previous marriages and lack of divorces.

The law did not catch with him sooner, he explained to the judge because he changed his name with practically every marriage. "My wives go variously by the names of Mrs. Demers, Mrs. Courtney Hetherington, Mrs. Courtney Gouthey, and Mrs. Maurice Pierrepont," he said.

Demers, alias Hetherington, alias Gouthey, alias Pierrepont, was arrested a few weeks ago in Aberdeen, S.D. while working as an electrician and making plans to marry wife No. 7. —United Press.

MILK COCKTAILS NOW!

Australia, the country which originated the idea of milk bars, has now made another contribution to the total of bright ideas to increase the consumption of milk.

Milk cocktails have been invented and are being tried out by the refreshment booths of a number of Melbourne sports grounds. If they prove popular they may become a Coronation novelty in London says Austral News.

Sam Browne's Famous Cavalry Disbands

Bombay, April 25.

SAM BROWNE'S Cavalry (12th Frontier Force), the regiment founded by the officer who invented the famous Sam Browne belt, is being disbanded.

It has left Jubbulpore, where it has been stationed since 1935, for Ferozepore, and is to become a training regiment for mounted units.

There will be no further recruitment for Sam Browne's Cavalry.

Thus disappears from the Indian Army a picturesque regiment with a long and distinguished history—throughout the Mutiny, through Frontier and Afghan wars, and in Mesopotamia during the Great War.

It was raised at Lahore in 1849 by Lieut. Samuel J. Browne (afterwards General Sir Samuel Browne) as the 2nd Regiment of Junjib Cavalry. In 1921 it was amalgamated with the 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force), which was also raised in 1849, by Captain R. Fitzgerald, of

the Bombay Army, as the 5th Regiment of Punjab Cavalry.

Browne won the V.C. during the Mutiny, and in 1878 was chosen as the representative of the Anglo-Indian Army for the tour of India by King Edward VII., then Prince of Wales. He died in 1901 at Ryde, Isle of Wight.

Warship

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Do you know anybody with a second-hand battleship for sale?

The Spanish Government want to buy one. They are willing to pay five million pounds for it.

Senor Del Vayo, Spanish Foreign Minister, stated recently in Valencia: "Our crying need is for an up-to-date and powerful battleship which will give us control over Franco's forces in the Mediterranean."

"We need a warship big enough and fast enough to suppress the menace of the insurgent cruiser Canarias, to blow it out of the water."

The Government already have a battleship, the Jaime I. (16,000 tons), but she is twenty-two years old, and the insurgents cancel her out with her sister-ship Espana.

'TERROR' SHIP

The Canarias is brand new. Her eight-inch guns were not fitted until the war began. She is fast, easy to manoeuvre, and has been a constant terror to the Government.

She sank the Government destroyer, Almirante Ferrandiz with the loss of 115 lives, sank the cargo boat Manuel (eighteen drowned), and holed the Government cruiser Libertad, thus keeping open the Straits for the transport of Moroccan troops. She has bombarded Barcelona, and has blown up many foodships.

Jaime I. recently put out of action by an aerial bomb, returned last week and bombarded Malaga.

OWEN MOORE NOT MAD

Los Angeles, Apr. 25.
AN action alleging insanity against Owen Moore, the film actor and former husband of Miss Mary Pickford, was dismissed by Los Angeles court to-day.

His wife, Mrs. Kathryn Perry Moore, had him committed to hospital for psychopathic observation, alleging that he was becoming drunk and violent and that he had attempted to slash her with a butcher's knife.

"I am a rational man and rather sensitive," Mr. Moore told the court. "I don't belong in the psychopathic ward of a general hospital."

Mr. Moore appeared in court with his head swathed in bandages. It was alleged that his wounds were self-inflicted during intoxication. —United Press.

Trouble In Paradise

Amsterdam, Apr. 25.
LOVE, jealousy, spring and the Suburb of Too-Beautiful Girls yesterday caused the police of Amsterdam quite a lot of trouble.

The Suburb of Too-Beautiful Girls is Landsmeer. The neighbouring suburb of Oostzaan is not so well-blessed.

So the boys of Oostzaan have taken to trespassing in the suburb of Landsmeer and walking away with the girls. Much to the indignation of the boys of Landsmeer.

"Hands off our girls!" warnings failed to have any effect. So last night the boys of Landsmeer decided on direct action.

Result: a riot, finally broken up by the police. Half the boys of Oostzaan to-day are walking the streets with blackened eyes and swollen noses. Others are in hospital with broken arms and legs.

London, Apr. 27.

The Prime Minister announced that the House of Commons would adjourn for the Coronation and Whitsun recess on May 6 and reassemble on May 24. —Reuters.



"I Want My Tablets, Mummie!"

The eminent British medical children specialist who devised Baby's Own Tablets based his formula on the knowledge that most of the common ailments of infancy and early childhood are due to disordered stomach and bowels.

Therefore the first action of the Tablets is to gently yet effectively clean the digestive tract. Then they reduce fever, if present, correct indigestion, colic and wind, check diarrhoea, restore digestive efficiency, allay the pains of teething almost as if by magic, quiet the nerves by removing the causes of nervous irritation and thus promote health-giving soothing sleep in a perfectly natural way, from which the child awakens refreshed, cheerful and ready for a meal.

The tablets contain absolutely no harmful ingredients and may therefore be given to the youngest infant as well as to older children with perfect safety. They are not a new or untried preparation; for over forty years mothers in many parts of the world have found them invaluable for the treatment of children's health troubles. Chemists everywhere sell.

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DOUGLAS STEAMER
SOLD TO P. I.

The former Douglas Line steamer Haining, which has been sold to the Manila Steamship Company, has arrived in Manila.

The new owners have renamed the vessel Lano, and will utilize her on their coastal service around the Philippine Islands.

The Haining was built over 30 years ago by the Delaware River Company, of Chester, Pennsylvania, and was formerly the Repose. She has for long been a popular vessel on the China Coast, trading between Hongkong, Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.

She has accommodation for passengers and general cargo. Her gross capacity is 2,013 tons and 840 tons net.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Notice to Shareholders.

The Fifty-Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the undersigned on Tuesday, the 18th May, 1937, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1936.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 4th to the 18th May, 1937, both days inclusive.

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Hongkong, 27th April, 1937.

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All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society. The informant's name will be kept strictly private, except in cases where malice is proved.

N.Z. PREMIER ARRIVES

London, May 4.

The Prime Minister of New Zealand, Mr. Savage, arrived in London today for the Coronation and the Imperial Conference.—British Wire-
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Two Handsome Trophies, kindly donated by Dr. F. Bunje and Mr. J. C. M. Grenham, will be offered as prizes.

Competitors in this Class should make a point of reflecting the Coronation spirit in their entries, and also keep in mind the artistic angle. In other words, their photographs should not be merely pictorial records of the local celebrations.

The Coronation entries will form part of the general Competition, which will extend from June to August, inclusive.

Watch Out for Further
Details Regarding
Entry Date and
Conditions.TWO DOCTORS ATTACK
OSTEOPATHY

(Continued from Page 4.)

travelled with him through many States, doing many jobs.

He had considerable mechanical skill. He was an expert shot. His first acquaintance with anatomy was through skinning squirrels.

During his father's temporary practice of medicine he enlarged his knowledge of anatomy by dissecting the bodies of dead Indians.

At that time he was, as far as his knowledge went, an orthodox practitioner.

But in 1884 two of his children died from meningitis. Orthodox medicine had failed and orthodox medicine had prescribed drugs.

Ten years later he astonished his friends by renouncing drugs for ever. "All remedies necessary to health exist in the human body"—that was the centre plank of his platform.

It followed, therefore, that all disease was the result of anatomical abnormalities and the cure adjustment to the normal. Nothing else was necessary.

His study of anatomy led him to the conclusion that abnormalities in the bone structure were the root causes of disease and the key bone was the backbone.

If a vertebra were out of place it would exert a harmful pressure on arteries, veins and nerves and the malfunctioning of these in turn produced the various harmful conditions that the world called diseases and that orthodox doctors accounted to germs.

These "osteopathic lesions," as the abnormalities were called, could be cured by manipulation. Therefore manipulation could cure any complaint.

It is this dangerous claim that Doctor Hill and Doctor Clegg have set out to expose.

Osteopaths are precise and definite in their claim. "Osteopathy is drugless medicine and bloodless surgery." It does not aim at supplementing present medical practice, but at superseding it.

Without elaborating the numerous reasons why Doctor Hill and Doctor Clegg say this claim cannot hold water, there are other considerations which are said to be unfavourable to the cause of osteopathy as at present practised.

It was stated before a Select Committee of the House of Lords that the teaching available for young osteopaths, both in America and England was insufficient for the successful practice even of their own methods. It was also inadequate for any successful diagnosis.

Shipping Intelligence

Shipping Companies are requested to forward, as early as possible information regarding arrivals, departures, time and mooring place and other movements. Urgent information should be telephoned to the shipping Editor, Phone 26615.

PORT DIRECTORY

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CHENGTE (B. & S.), B.2.
CHONGLEE (Yee Tai Hong), B.12.
FU LONG (Blast), Yamut.
GENEAL LEE (Slate), A.3.
GRANVILLE (Bank Line), Stonecutters.
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HAIKONG (H. & S.), B.12.
HEITO MARU (N.Y.K.), Kowloon Bay.

HENRIK (China Song Hong), B.4.
KATIE MOLLER (Doddwell), B.2.
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SEIKYO MARU (N.Y.K.), B.26.
STANLEY (Shun Cheong), Kwong Wing Wharf.

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TAKANG (J.M.), B.2.
TENDAI MARU (D.K.K.), A.12.
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ARRIVED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)
CALCHUS (B. & S.) from Singapore, 6 a.m., Hol's Wharf. 30331.

HOKUROKU MARU (O.S.K.) from Polipandan, 6 a.m., A.8. 28001.

NANNING (B. & S.) from Canton, 12 a.m., B.16. 30331.

TAKSANG (J.M.) from Canton, 1 p.m., B.2. 30311.

TERUKUNI MARU (N.Y.K.) from Straits, daylight, Kowloon Wharf. 30321.

TROJA (Thoresen) from Shanghai, 8.45 a.m., A.3. 30227.

VAN HEUTZ (J.C.J.L.) from Singapore, daylight, Kowloon Wharf. 28016.

SAILED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)
JEAN LABORDE (M.M.) for Marshall Is., 11 a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 20651.

MAGSANG (J.M.) for Canton, 1 p.m., B.2. 30311.

KALGAN (B. & S.) for Swatow, noon, West Point. 30331.

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MALAYA (E.A.C.) from Europe, a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 30320.
SHANGTUNG (B. & S.) from Shanghai, a.m., West Point. 30331.
TANDA (E. & A.) from Manila, Kowloon Wharf. 27721.
YUENSANG (J.M.) from Calcutta, a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 30311.

SAILING TO-DAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)
ANTENOR (B. & S.) for Europe, a.m., Hol's Wharf. 30331.

MALAYA (E.A.C.) for Japan, p.m., Kowloon Wharf. 30320.

NANNING (B. & S.) for Swatow, 10 p.m., West Point. 30331.

SOOCHOW (B. & S.) for Swatow, 2 p.m., West Point. 30331.

TAKSANG (J.M.) for Shanghai, 6 p.m., B.2. 30311.

THINAN (B. & S.) for Amoy, 5 p.m., West Point. 30331.

VAN HEUTZ (J.C.J.L.) for Swatow, 4 p.m., 28016.

ARRIVING TO-MORROW

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)
CHIEKIANG (B. & S.) from Bangkok, a.m., West Point. 30331.

CHIENGTO (B. & S.) from Swatow, a.m., West Point. 30331.

HANGSANG (J.M.) from Canton, a.m., B.2. 30311.

MANILA MARU (O.S.K.) from Japan, a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 28001.

MUNIAN (B. & S.) from Singapore, a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 30321.

NAGATO MARU (N.Y.K.) from Japan, a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 30321.

SANDVIKEN (J.M.) from Shanghai, a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 30311.

SHANGTUNG (B. & S.) from Swatow, daylight, West Point. 30331.

YUENSANG (J.M.) from Calcutta, a.m., Kowloon Wharf.

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MANILA MARU (O.S.K.) for Colombo, p.m., Kowloon Wharf. 28001.

NAGATO MARU (N.Y.K.) for Calcutta, p.m., Kowloon Wharf. 30321.

SOOCHOW (B. & S.) for Shanghai, 3 p.m., West Point. 30331.

TANDA (E. & A.) for Shanghai, noon, Kowloon Wharf. 27721.

VESSELS DUE

AFENAS (B. & S.), May 25.
AGAMEMNON (B. & S.), June 6.
ANTIOCHUS (B. & S.), May 17.
CHAKSANG (J.M.), May 27.
CITY OF WELLINGTON (Bank), May 24.

CONTE DIAMANTINO (L.L.T.), May 8.
DANMARK (E.A.C.), May 15.
DEMODOCUS (B. & S.), May 17.
EMPEROR OF CANADA (C.P.S.), May 7.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN (C.P.S.), May 20.
FULDA (Melcher's), May 11.
GENERAL PERSHING (States), May 21.

GNEISENAU (Melcher's), May 13.
GOLDEN DRAGON (States), May 9.
HAIKONG (H. & S.), May 17.
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HINSANG (J.M.), May 14.
HOSANG (J.M.), May 16.
ISLAND (J.M.), May 10.
KALGAN (B. & S.), May 19.

KUTSANG (J.M.), May 11.
MALAYA (E. & A.), May 7.
MEDON (B. & S.), May 27.
MENDALUS (B. & S.), May 9.

MENESTHEUS (B. & S.), May 9.
ODER (Melcher's), May 10.
PHILOCTETES (B. & S.), May 31.
PROBANT (J.M.), May 9.

RHEINGOLD (Jebben), May 6.
RIEHLAND (Jebben), May 12.
TAKANG (J.M.), May 19.
TIBETAN (J.C.J.L.), May 11.

TJINEGARA (J.C.J.L.), May 9.
TJISAROA (J.C.J.L.), May 10.
TYNDARUS (J.M.), May 8.
ZUIDERKERK (J.C.J.L.), May 10.

'HONGKONG BUILT
LEGAZPI RUNS TRIAL
TRIP

Built at Kowloon Docks especially for the Manila, Cebu, and Zamboanga service, the 1,200-ton m.v. Legazpi ran trials yesterday over the measured mile off Repulse Bay. The ship is a smart little vessel and proved herself capable of the 12 and a quarter knots called for, with a margin of speed and power in reserve.

There was a fairly large party aboard the vessel, representing many of the Colony's largest shipping concerns. They declared on their return to Hongkong after the excursion that the ship was a thoroughly satisfactory one, comfortable, fast and apparently admirable for the purpose for which she was designed.

Built to the order of the Navire Philippines, Incorporated, of Cebu (where the ship will be registered) the Legazpi is 210 feet long, with a 40-foot beam, and draws 15 feet 6 inches. Her length was governed by the necessity for her to turn in a narrow river which can accommodate a ship no longer than this, while her draft is also limited by the waters in which she will be operating.

Classed 100 A1
Perhaps the most striking feature of the vessel, which has been built with her needs as a trader in tropical waters in mind, is the spacious first class saloon, nearly 40 feet square and ventilated by windows three feet square. This saloon stretches almost the entire length of the deck astern of the funnel, and is sufficiently elevated to catch all the breeze that is available. A cool spot for the tourist in any weather.

There will be 18 first class passengers carried and 12 second class, while there is also accommodation for 130 first class deck passengers and 270 second class deck.

The engines of the vessel attain 1,750 h.p., and were constructed in Copenhagen and brought here by a special engineer, Mr. Michelson, for installation. Mr. M. C. Cland was the owners' representative in Hongkong during the building operations.

Modern in every detail, the vessel is lit with electricity throughout, and her cargo winches and hoisting gear are also electrically driven. The ves-

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HEBE HILL SITE FOR THE KOWLOON GOLF CLUB

Club And Government Approve Of Ideal Position

RUGGER REFEREES IGNORE THE RULES GLARING CASES

(By J. P. Jordan)

It was to me astounding, to put it mildly, that hard upon the International Board's publicly expressed dissatisfaction with referees in international Rugby matches the last international of the season should afford a glaring instance of how the board is ignored.

The board recently sent a letter to each referee on the international panel informing him that it was his duty to referee international matches in full accordance with the laws of the game.

I have been unofficially told that what the board had particularly in mind was the non-observance by referees of the law which governs foul play, misconduct, and persistent infringement.

Under this law the referee may order a player off and must caution him the first time he is guilty of foul play or misconduct, and he must—the word is printed in bold type in the law—order him off if he offends a second time.

Yet at Belfast when unhappy incidents occurred the referee merely stopped the game and warned the players.

STRANGE IMMUNITY
Had these incidents occurred in a club match someone would have received marching orders, but apparently offenders are immune in international matches.

Many times I have heard it said that the first referee who puts the full penalty into force in an international would deserve the Order of Merit. We had a case some years ago in which a Dominioni player was concerned, but never in a match between the Home Unions has a player been sent off the field.

Yet everyone knows that such a penalty has been called for not so much because of fighting but because of persistent infringements, which leave the referee with no option but to order off if he carries out his duties.

Plots are used when tempers are frayed, very often because the players are continually pulled for an infringement that is not reckoned as such in their own country.

WHY NOT CONFERENCES
This is due to the different interpretation of the laws which defy one construction being put on them. There is in one law a sentence that runs to over 100 words.

It is perhaps too much to expect all the 36 laws to be again revised. The last time it was done it took several enthusiastic officials many months of hard work. But why not do the next best thing, and hold periodic conferences of referees from the four unions, presided over by one of the law-makers, a member of the International Board?

The eve of an international match would be an ideal date. If the question of expense to the unions is urged against the idea, I would remark that whatever the cost it would be worth.

(Continued on Page 9.)

Perry Plays Vines At Wembley, May 25

The dates of the lawn tennis matches, in which F. J. Perry, E. Vines, W. T. Tilden, and M. Pla will take part at Wembley, have been revised on account of a clash with a Speedway Test match. The new dates of the tennis event are May 25, 26, and 29.

COUNTY CRICKET RESULTS

Big Defeat For Kent

London, May 4.

Glamorgan started the county cricket programme with a splendid victory over Kent. They beat the hop county by an innings and 152 runs, outplaying their opponents from the start.

Derbyshire the champions had to rest content with first innings points against Lancashire after making the Lancastrians follow-on. Paynter played a fine innings of 150 in Lancashire's second innings, and so saved the game.

Yorkshire suffered an unexpected defeat, losing to the M.C.C. by 25 runs in an exciting finish.

M.C.C. scored 393 and then declared at 267 for 7. Yorkshire replied with 210 and 380, Hutton batting magnificently for his 161.

The results in detail were as follows:

COUNTY CHAMPIONS

Derbyshire (427, Pollard 6 for 70) beat Lancashire (258, Mitchell 6 for 73) and 341-0 (Paynter 150) on first innings.

Glamorgan beat Kent by an innings and 152.

Glamorgan, 451 (Dyson 104, Davies 118).
Kent, 132 (Jones 5-38) and 147 (Mercer 4-59).

Sussex beat Worcester by eight wickets.

Worcester, 229 and 207 (James Langridge 6-30).
Sussex, 349 (J. Parks 104, Cook 106) and 88-2.

OTHER MATCHES

Oxford beat Gloucester by eight wickets.

Gloucester, 224 (Darwall-Smith 7-44) and 190.

Oxford, 384 (Barton 192) and 32-2.

M.C.C. (339 and 267-7 dec.) beat Yorkshire (210 and 380, Hutton 161) by 25 runs.—Rutley.

REMOVAL MAY BE SOON

First Details

(By Our Special Representative)

Definite proposals for removing the Kowloon Golf Club from its present headquarters to new ground in the vicinity of Hebe Hill have been approved in principle by both the Club and the Hongkong Government.

It is believed that the military authorities will raise no objections to the proposed move, and will allow members of the Golf Club to use the new military road over Customs Pass.

Government, it is understood, may partly finance the removal of the club from the Army Range, but the Club will probably be required to re-erect its own Club House.

It is stated that Government's assistance may take the form of reclaiming part of the land required by the Club.

IDEAL SITE

In return for this financial assistance, however, it is possible that Government may require the Kowloon Golf Club to give an undertaking regarding membership, insofar as it is desired that greater facilities should exist for residents and tourists to play golf without actually joining a Club.

The site chosen by the Kowloon Golf Club, and approved by Government, is ideal from the point of view of golf. It gives a beautiful view of the surrounding country, and is one of the prettiest spots in the Colony.

Decision of the Kowloon Golf Club to remove from the Army Range may be hastened by the fact that the Military authorities will probably soon require exclusive use of the ranges for at least five days a week.

It is extremely probable, in fact, that the Hongkong Rifle Association will have to abandon its mid-week range in order to allow the Army to have free use of the ranges. In this case, it is probable that the Hongkong Rifle Association will be allowed full use of the ranges on Saturday afternoons and Sundays.

Under the new training methods for the British army provided for an amazing liberal use of ammunition in the future. Each soldier will fire something like 355 rounds of ammunition each season. Assuming that a battalion totals 850 men, it will be seen that future army shooting in Hongkong will necessitate the issue of much more than a million rounds of ammunition per annum. This quantity will naturally be increased by 50 per cent. when the two new battalions are stationed here.

In order to fire this extra ammunition it will become necessary for the Army to utilise the Kowloon Army Range for the entire week, excluding Saturday afternoons and Sundays. The week-ends, presumably, will be given over to the Rifle Association.

As the new small arms training methods may be brought into force in the very near future Government may hasten work in resuming the land required by the Kowloon Golf Club for its new course.

L.T.A. BAN ON PERRY-VINES

GROUNDS CLOSED TO THE PLAYERS

(By JOHN MACADAM)

The Lawn Tennis Association is again busy on its well-known act of burying its head in the ground.

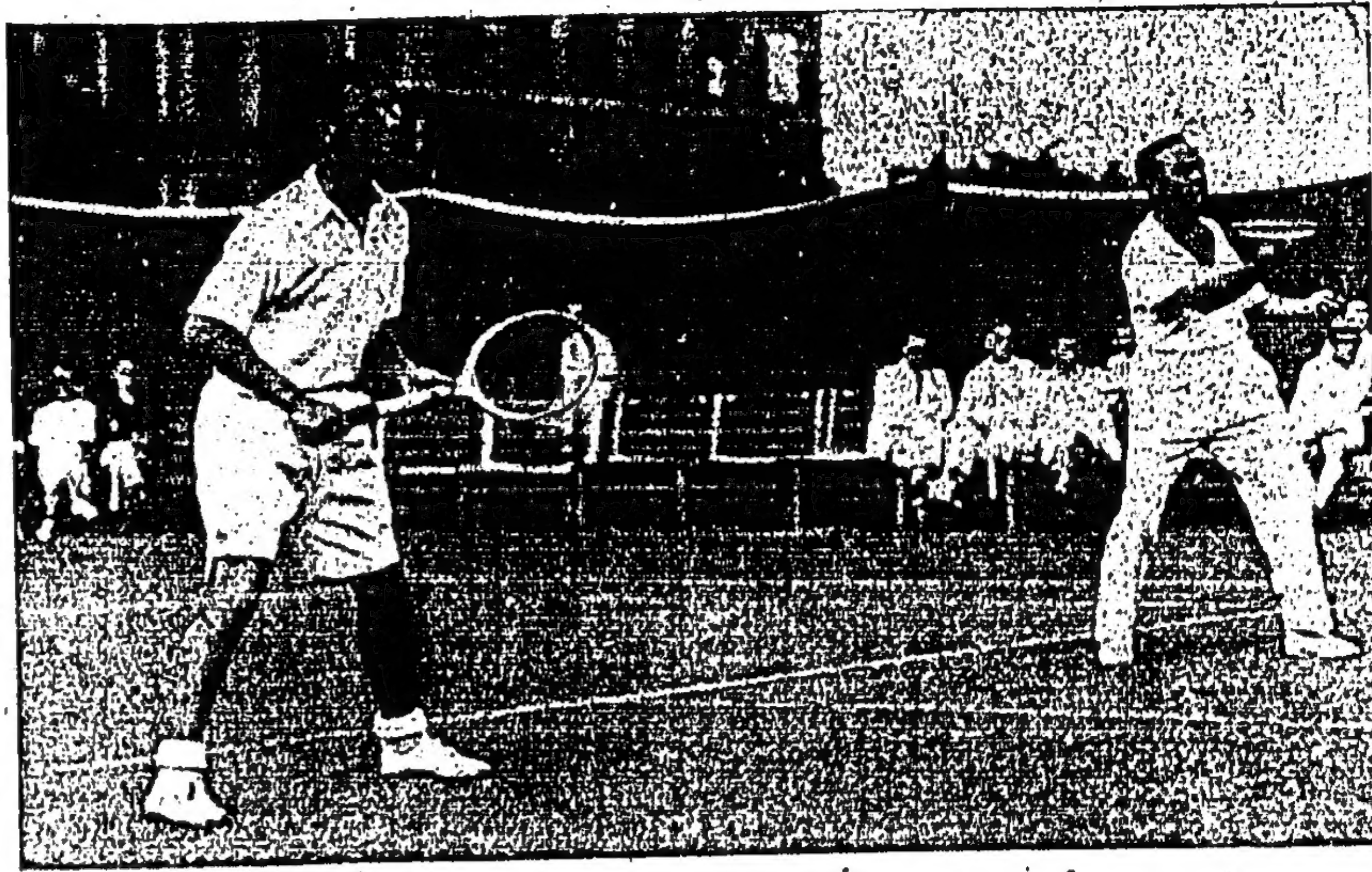
It intends to ban Perry-Vines matches on any of its affiliated courts. The matter was raised by one of the biggest clubs in the Midlands, which wrote to the L.T.A. asking permission to stage a Perry-Vines exhibition. They can house almost a Centre Court crowd. The money would have been useful.

Permission has not yet been actually refused, but I am told that although the council will discuss the application at its next meeting the Noes will have it.

Now, did you ever hear of such ostrichism?

It means that club members and public will be forced away from the clubs into the professional singles to watch these matches. If the L.T.A. wants to down professionalism, then this step is just one in the wrong direction. Whatever happens, players will go to see Perry and Vines. Why, for Pete's sake, not let them see the matches in their own courts?

FINCHER VOLLEYS, WHILE HUNG WAITS DURING YESTERDAY'S CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL



Tennis Championship Final Described By "Veritas"

Hung Plays Brilliantly, But Rumjahn Cousins Could Not Be Stopped

MATCH PRODUCES COLOURFUL AND DRAMATIC RALLIES

S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn beat E. C. Fincher and W. C. Hung 10-8, 5-7, 6-2, 6-4.

TO describe the final of the 1937 open doubles tennis championship of the Colony is but a repetition of a twelve year-old story. Fincher and Hung, playing good, sometimes brilliant, tennis, were beaten by the Rumjahn cousins, who proved that it was just as impossible as ever to get past them.

Yesterday's match on the stand court was a delightful exhibition. I imagine everybody was surprised by heights of brilliance. It was assuredly the finest display I have ever seen him give. But those Rumjahn cousins, cool, accurate, skilful, to leave the cause, the effect was win the most vital points, simply could not be overcome.

In two successive sets Fincher and Hung had them at their mercy. They had two games points for a 5-1 lead in the first set (on H. D. Rumjahn's service), but they were lost; they had game points for a 5-2 lead in the second set, but they were lost. It is a simple fact that had they been capable of accepting opportunities, Fincher and Hung would have won in straight sets.

But at these vital points either the cousins served poorly, or made careless returns, or else the Cousins were turned over their most daring volleys and drives, or even, as in more than one instance, a fortunate netcord shot came to their aid. No matter what the cause, the effect was that the champions with a sporting chance of recovering lost ground, and they needed no second invitation to accomplish this.

COLOURFUL AND DRAMATIC

It is open to opinion whether any Colony championship match has produced better or more exciting rallies than in these first two sets. The whole match was full of colourful and dramatic exchanges. Not for a long time has such spectacular volleying been seen. Hung's sharply angled cross-court volleys were superb. They constantly beat S. A. Rumjahn who anticipated down-the-middle shots.

I couldn't help thinking that had Fincher displayed a little more incisiveness in his volleying and smashing a different result would have been recorded. Fincher was steady for long periods, but he did not possess enough snap in his forecourt play, and allowed the champions to recover when they should have been beaten outright.

Hung's methods were better. He either scored his point with an unreturnable volley or smash, or he found the net. Fincher preferred safety tactics, and in this I think he made a definite mistake.

The cousins were always fighting hard. Actually they should have lost the first set. What is more Fincher and Hung should have won the second at 6-2 instead of which the winners regained lost ground and forced the issue to the twelfth game. Incidentally in that twelfth game

Hung surpassed himself, driving, volleying and smashing with wonderful severity and accuracy.

WHY THEY WON

The cousins won because as a combination they were a little more assertive than the losers, and because, when it came to a show-down, they possessed more powerful finishing shots. At intervals they were forced to play second fiddle, but at the vital stages of the match, nobody could question their superiority.

Sirdar served badly throughout the match, yet his forehead driving was magnificent, and he rarely failed to score overhead. Sometimes he was out-volleyed, but even in this phase of the game he maintained a balance in his favour.

H. D. Rumjahn was ever ready to, and capable of, stepping in to score with his immaculate drive or his punishing volley. There were times when he appeared to be a trifle bewildered by the speed of the close-quarter rallies, but in the slower exchanges there was no more effective player on the court.

It was bright, attractive, tennis from the opening service to the final point. The man of the match was Hung because he not only accepted the opponent's challenge to volleying rallies, but was able enough to turn a large number of them to account. He suffered his bad patches, but they faded into insignificance against his inspired moments when he dominated the court. He has never played a better game.

He and Fincher were just as good losers as the Rumjahn cousins were winners. A little bit of luck at the right time, and a little more accuracy in the vital stages of the first three sets would have made a heap of difference to the result.

But this was only another lesson to those who would challenge the supremacy of the cousins. To beat them you must play 100 per cent. well throughout the match. Give them the slightest opportunity to recover and any pair is as good as beaten. It has happened year after year, and presumably it will continue until we discover a couple like the Tsui brothers, who beat the cousins sustaining a well planned attack.

The formation of a professional skaters' union in Britain, as well as an international union, is being widely discussed following the implied boycott of the open professional ice-skating championships.

Professional skaters are not prepared to support a championship sponsored by the National Skating Association, which controls amateur skating in Britain. They want a

WIMBLEDON OFFER IS REJECTED

Australian Cup Team May Not Play

The Australian L.T.A. has rejected an offer of £200 from the All-England L.T.A. for the appearance of their four Davis Cup players, J. H. Crawford, A. K. Quist, V. B. McGrath, and J. Brown, in the Wimbledon championships, states Reuters. The Australian L.T.A. is understood, is asking for £750. This was the sum paid for the Australian team's appearance in 1934, but in the last two years only £125 had been paid to the Association in respect of each player.

PONIES CLASSIFIED

The Hongkong Jockey Club has just announced the following alterations and additions to the classification lists dated March 18:

Australian Ponies.—Dick Turpin to B Class, Llanarmon to B Class, Llangollen to B Class.

China Ponies.—Laughing Buddha to C Class, Sadko to C Class, Flyby-night to D Class, Shanghai 4 to D Class, Tabby Cat to D Class, Victory Life to D Class, Racing Strain to E Class.

SUMMER GOLF

The following sixteen players qualified for the Competition proper over match play of the Kowloon Golf Club Summer Cup; the draw for the first round (to be played by May 16) being:

R. K. Collins	v.	A. A. Lopes
T. D. Paton	v.	J. McKelvie
J. R. Leitch	v.	W. Stoker
W. Kershaw	v.	A. W. da Rosa
W. Taylor	v.	F. E. Lawrence
F. C. Barry	v.	D. J. N. Anderson
A. J. Dennis	v.	W. C. Simpson
E. W. Gardiner	v.	E. C. Fincher

Ice Professionals Threaten Revolt

By George Graham.

Mr. Howard Nicholson, famous American skater attached to a London rink, said to me:

"On the last occasion I competed in the championship I was judged by a pupil of my own, who happened to be on the panel of N.S.A. judges. 'This should never be allowed.' Mr. Nicholson held the men's title for three years up to 1935.

FINE BOXING IN FINALS OF ARMY TOURNEY

(By "Ringsider")

Last night's finals in the Army individual boxing championships provided some of the most attractive scrapping seen in Hongkong for a long time. The crowd thoroughly enjoyed the enthusiastic milling of the contestants, and quite a number of the fights produced some exceptionally clever boxing.

Below will be found a description of two of the best bouts of the evening.

HEAVY-WEIGHT

L/Sgt. Matheson (Seafarths) beat Fus. Frimston (R.W.F.). This was undoubtedly a surprise for everyone who had seen Frimston defeat Lieut. Going in the Inter-Unit Championships. Matheson boxed like a master to overcome his opponent, but before the end of the first round the issue was not so sure. Matheson displayed perfect defence which nullified any attack. Try as he did, Frimston could not reach the vital point.

The second round was a repetition of the first. Noted for his ability for winning fights in this round, Frimston exerted himself and strained every muscle for a telling blow. It could not pass a defence which was like "Gibraltar."

This final round made the encounter the "fight of the night." Early in the round Frimston connected with his disastrous right. Matheson went down and stayed there for one or two seconds. He arose slightly dazed and turned to meet the oncoming tornado. Undaunted and still able to think fast, Matheson encountered the onslaught with an extremely hard right swing. In view of his condition one was inclined to think it was lucky, but the subsequent blows dispelled any such ideas. Frimston, though having the advantage at this stage, was completely disorganised and forced to give way to the degenerate and hard hitting Matheson. He could not venture to close quarters with any confidence.

From what seemed the end, Matheson fought back to win a glorious bout. Full tribute cannot be paid to Matheson's glorious recovery, dragging the fight from defeat to victory.

WELTER-WEIGHT

L/Cpl. McCutcheon (R.U.F.) beat Fus. Davies (R.W.F.). Davies who put up such a good showing in the inter-unit championships was rather disappointing though it must be said that he was opposed to a boxer who used his brains as well as his fists. Davies was attacking from the bell and landed more body blows, scoring points over McCutcheon. The final blow of the fight was a right hook to the jaw caught Davies napping.

It was in the second round that the winner's anticipation was so good. His footwork and smart ducking made Davies' blows often wild in the extreme. Darting inside the blow or swiftly moving away, McCutcheon was never once within reach of his full force. McCutcheon's victory is all the more meritorious in view of Davies' great improvement on last year's form.

In the third round, Davies was twice warned about holding. Once when forced into a corner McCutcheon connected with a glorious left swing. He followed it up with another but with not enough force to K.O. the redoubtable Davies, who like a panther, was extremely difficult to hit properly.

The results in detail were:

BANTAMWEIGHT (SEMI-FINALS)

Pte. Black (Seafarths) beat Enn. Hughes (R.U.F.) on points. Fus. Jenkins (R.W.F.) beat Fus. Mooson (R.W.F.) on points.
Final.—Fus. Jenkins beat Pte. Black on points.

FLYWEIGHT

Pte. Wilde (Seafarths) beat Rfn. Graham (R.U.F.) on points.

FEATHERWEIGHT

Fus. Owen (R.W.F.) beat Pte. Green (Seafarths) on points.

LIGHTWEIGHT

Rfn. McLAY (R.U.F.) beat Fus. Ross (R.W.F.) on points.

MIDDLEWEIGHT

L/Cpl. McCutcheon (R.U.F.) beat Fus. Davies (R.W.F.) on points.

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT

Cpl. Weaver (R.W.F.) beat Cpl. Butterfield (R.A.O.C.) by a K.O.

HEAVYWEIGHT

L/Sgt. Matheson (Seafarths) beat L/Sgt. Frimston (R.W.F.) on points.

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CINEMA

NOTES

America's most unique radio and screen comedienne, Martha Raye, the gal of exuberant wit, gigantic mouth and giggling alto, scored another smash hit in "Hideaway Girl" which has its run at the Alhambra Theatre to-day. Appearing with her is beautiful Shirley Ross, the girl who soared to stardom almost overnight in "The Big Broadcast of 1937". Both continue to keep this latest madcap laugh-fest moving at a rapid pace. It's a picture crammed with high comedy, swell music, and, to top it off, a grand mystery plot. Others in the cast are Robert Cummings, Monroe Owsley, Louis DaPrun, Ed Brophy and a score of other skilled feature players.

"The Green Pastures"
Refreshingly different from the ordinary run of motion pictures is the Warner Bros. mammoth film, "The Green Pastures", now showing at the King's Theatre. As a stage play this creation of Marc Connelly's ran for more than five years. It was presented in 203 cities and towns, and as a picture will probably reach more than one hundred times that many theatres. It is predicted by the author that it will be even more successful as a picture than it was as a stage-show. Marc Connelly himself directed the picture (his first job of the sort, though he directed many a stage play) with the aid of William Keighley, one of the Warner Bros. ace. "The Green Pastures" was made on the same vast scale as "A Midsummer Night's Dream" and "Captain Blood", with a multitude of players, and sets of immense area. Connelly's tender, humorous, yet graphic dialogue in the stage play was transferred verbatim to the picture, with a little more added, since he wrote a few brief new scenes. It is merely an expanded, not a different, "Green Pastures" that is shown on the screen. Sheridan Gibney collaborated with Mr. Connelly on the screen play, based on the stage production which was suggested by Roark Bradford's novel. The cast includes hundreds of players, among whom are Rex Ingram, Oscar Polk, Eddie Anderson, Myrtle Anderson, Frank Wilson, George Reed, Edna Harris, Ida Forsythe, Abraham Glickman and Snowflake Toones. The spirituales are sung by the Hall Johnson Choir.

"Down The Stretch"
One of the most thrilling pictures of horse racing ever filmed, "Down The Stretch", first National production, was shown at the Majestic Theatre yesterday. Mickey Rooney, Patricia Ellis, Dennis Moore and William Best have the leading roles. Though the races represent the running of the Kentucky Derby, the Prentiss Handicap, the Arlington Classic and the Gold Cup at Ascot, in England, the scenes actually were filmed at the famous Santa Anita track in California and at the training stables and track at Encino with all the warmth, colour and excitement of the real races is found in the scenes.

"Crack-Up"
Consider the strange case of Peter Lorre, famous European actor, who, following a sensational screen triumph, deliberately turned his back for an entire year on the field in which he had striven so hard to achieve success. The role which brought him world-wide acclaim was, as almost everyone knows, that of the pathological murderer in "M". "Although the picture was a great success," says Mr. Lorre, "the character was a horrible one. Unhappily, all the offers which I received thereafter, and many of them were very attractive, called for other horror roles. I decided that rather than become typed as a one-man chamber of horrors, I'd stay away from the screen. So I returned to the stage and portrayed the type of roles I preferred." In accepting the role of "Colonel Gimp" in "Crack-Up", the Twentieth Century-Fox melodrama of flying aces and foreign spies, which is at the Queen's Theatre to-day, Mr. Lorre felt that he had a role to which he was most admirably suited. A distinguished cast was assembled for "Crack-Up" featuring, besides Mr. Lorre, Brian Donlevy, Helen Wood, Ralph Morgan and Thomas Beck. The picture was directed by Malcolm St. Clair.

The French Consulate will be closed to the public to-morrow (Thursday) which is the Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord.



Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald as they appear in "Maytime", coming to the King's Theatre to-morrow.

NEW YORK STOCK

EXCHANGE

MARKET UPWARD YESTERDAY

New York, May 4.
S. C. & F. Dow Jones Summary of yesterday's markets:
This is the fifth session in which the market advanced without any important increase in the volume of business. General Motors were very active in response to the \$1 dividend. Rails showed some good earnings reports. All steels, rubbers, non-ferrous metals and some oils were substantially higher. Contract building reports continued favourable. Atchafalpa, Topeka showed a new high. Gas, Electric and Electric utilities gained, led by Consolidated Edison. Mercantiles firmed. Amusements revived. Bonds and curb stocks were both higher.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment:—Foreign exchange interests are of the opinion that the heavy gold shipments from England to the United States are slowing down. The near outlook for can-making companies is quite bullish. Bulls contend that many traders are awaiting completion of the London settlement, which begins on Thursday. The Street is bullish on rails. Traders are of the opinion that motor shares, particularly Chrysler, will do well when a sustained rally develops.

S. C. & F. New York office cables:
Stocks: Some sections have improved upon recent gains, but show comparatively little aggressiveness. Sentiment is gradually veering to the thought that the London situation has been pretty well cleaned up, but there appears to be increasing talk of the possibility of a more than seasonal slump in business this Summer. We continue to feel that for the time being at least, a cautious trading policy should be adhered to and, on this basis, we would accept profits on recently-acquired lines. The price of Pittsburgh steel scrap has been reduced by 40 cents per ton. Business failures for the week amounted to 183. Bank deposits for the week totalled \$15,368,000,000.

Cotton: The steadiness of the market fails to attract aggressive buying. Offerings were light. There has been a little textile demand. Russia is reported to be exporting 40,000 bales to England. A prominent private authority estimates the acreage at 35,000,000. The market at present shows no indication of the future trend of prices.

Wheat: An average of private estimates of the Winter crop shows 652,000,000 bushels, which about as had been expected. Mr. Snow of Bartlett, Fraser & Co. estimates the crop at 664,000,000 bushels. Trading, which was largely professional, eased on scattered rains and a forecast of more, but parts of the Spring territory and Canada are very dry. Contract stocks in Chicago amount to 1,905,000 bushels. There are 445,000 bushels intended for delivery to-morrow.

Corn: There is no contract in Chicago and the small available outside supply is closely held. Argentine exports so far were well absorbed.

Rubber: Prices responded to the advance on the London market, but there was little follow-up. The futures show but little interest and the market is quiet and steady.

Sugar: The market is stagnant

Pittsburgh

Continues

Brave Pace

Steals Games From Dodgers

Heavy Hitting In Many Encounters

New York, May 4.
Boston gained ground at the expense of St. Louis in the National League to-day, hitting sixteen times to the Cardinals' pathetic three, and scoring eight runs to one. There were no errors.

Pittsburgh, top of the League, continued to set the pace, swamping the Brooklyn Dodgers with ten runs to three, though actually the Dodgers out-hit them. Brooklyn had ten safeties and the Pirates only eight, but Dickshot, in truly piratical style, hit a homer and scored, a crowd ahead of him on the bugs to assist the game. Brooklyn only scored three times. Each had one error.

New York defeated the lagging Cincinnati Reds, seven to six, Bartlett hitting two home runs. The Giants hit fourteen to nine, but their three errors allowed the Reds to score six runs and might have been disastrous but for Bartlett's batting.

Chicago Cubs went on a spree, hit nineteen safeties and scored fourteen runs. Collins, Marty and Bottarini hit homers. Philadelphia piled up the remarkable total of 27 hits but could only harvest seven runs. Wilson hit a homer. Phillies had two errors.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

The New York Yankees shook Detroit badly, for the League-leading Tigers were held to four hits and a lone run against the slugger Yanks, whose fourteen hits yielded ten runs. Yankees had two and Detroit one error.

Boston, striving for a place this season, whipped St. Louis eleven to six, hitting eighteen times to the Browns' thirteen, and committing one error, one less than their opponents. Gantke contributed a useful home run, and Bell homered for the Browns.

Washington overwhelmed Cleveland, with twenty hits and twelve runs after eleven innings of play. In that, fateful last inning the Senators went wild, hitting right and left, and the Indians, befuddled, fell into four errors. The Indians scored five runs on twelve hits.

The Philadelphia-Chicago game was postponed on account of rain.—Reuter.

but steady. New contract is very dull and firm.

REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:
May 3. May 4.
30 Industrials 174.50 176.30
20 Rails 58.25 59.41
20 Utilities 29.20 29.81
40 Bonds 101.16 101.35
11 Commodity Index 74.44 74.62

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CHARITY FOOTBALL

ARMY AND CHINA
IN RE-PLAY
KOTEWALL TROPHY

The re-play final of the Kotewall Charity Cup Football Competition—the Army (holders) v. South China Athletic Association—will be played on Sunday next on the ground of the Hongkong Football Club, Happy Valley, kick-off at 5 p.m. sharp. As a "curtain-raiser" the Boys of the Royal Welch Fusiliers (champions of the Boys' League, originated this season) will play the Rest of the League, kick-off at 3.30 p.m.

The Kotewall match was originally fixed for Saturday next, but as South China Athletic Association can not have the services of their players from Canton that day, the match has been arranged for the following day, so that as an attractive "wind-up" to the season, spectators may witness what promises to be a thrilling final between the finest players the Army and South China Athletic Association can produce. The Kotewall Cup Committee anticipate a bumper gate so that the Charity Fund may benefit considerably. It is understood that the Committee proposes to prohibit the allocation of the Fund before Coronation Day. It is to be hoped that Naval, Army and Chinese Charities will reap additional benefit as the result of the support of the football "fans" and others next Sunday.

Prices of admission are \$1, 50 cents, and 30 cents. Services will be charged only 50 cents. To the covered stand, whether in uniform or mufti.

ARMY TEAM

The following will represent the Army:
Fus. Fowlands (R.W.F.); Rfmn. Pickering (R.U.R.); Bglr. Stevens (R.U.R.); Pte. Williamson (Scarfth); Pte. Cook (Scarfth); Pte. Adams (Scarfth); L/Sgt. Duffield (R.A.O.C.); L/Cpl. Sullivan (R.W.F.); Pte. McGuigan (Scarfth) and Cpl. Hurst (R.E.).

RESERVES

Reserves: L/Cpl. Connor (R.U.R.); Pte. Webster (Scarfth); Fus. Wheeler (R.W.F.); Fus. Taylor (R.U.F.); Pte. McCusker (Scarfth); Pte. Cook (Scarfth); Pte. Adams (Scarfth); L/Sgt. Duffield (R.A.O.C.); L/Cpl. Sullivan (R.W.F.); Pte. McGuigan (Scarfth) and Cpl. Hurst (R.E.).

CHINESE TEAM

The following will represent the South China A.A.:
Pau Ka-ping; Li Tin-sang; Lau Mau; Leung Wing-chiu; Lau Hing-chol; Lee Kwok-wai; forward line from Tso Kwai-shing; Fung King-cheung; Lee Wai-tong; Ho Ka-keung; Lai Shiu-wing; Yeung Shiu-yick and Tsy Quee-ling.

HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

Meeting Of United
Contest Committee

The Royal Welch Fusiliers, it was announced at the final meeting of the Committee of the United Hockey Tournament yesterday, won the senior and junior championships. The Royal Engineers and the Police Indians were the runners-up in the respective divisions.

The meeting, bringing to a close the tournament's first season, was held at the Police Training School, and was attended by Capt. L. Gwydyr-Jones (Chairman), Sub-Inspector L. Tyler (Secretary), Sgt. J. Dandy (Asst. Secretary), Lieut. R. D. MacLagan, Sergt. J. A. Meaks, Lieut. N. W. Metcalfe, Messrs. P. Ray, R. Singh, Borrowdale, and W. A. Rix.

A vote was held to ascertain which club had the most sporting, leading team, it resulting in the Scottish Highlanders, in the seniors, and the Royal Engineers in the juniors, being selected.

Following are the results of the competition:

First Division—Royal Welch Fusiliers, 13; Royal Engineers, 12; Police Europeans, 8; Scottish Highlanders, 7; University, 0.

Second Division—Royal Welch Fusiliers, 17; Police Indians, 15; Royal Air Force, 11; H.M.S. Tamar, 8; Seaforth Highlanders, 6; Royal Engineers, 2.

SHANGHAI RACES

Radio Eve Wins Sub.
Griffins' Derby

DEITZ RIDES A
DOUBLE

Shanghai, May 4.
Following are the results of the third day of the Shanghai R.C. spring meeting:

1. Yangtze Stakes. One Mile.
1. A. S. Henchman's Vivid Morn (W. L. McCann).
2. Bubbling Well's Kangar (H. Maitland).
3. R. H. McNair's Yura (A. W. Raymond).
Time: 2:08.4/5.

2. Hart Legacy Cup. Half a Mile.
1. Ciro's Frostlight (R. B. Moller).
2. Sing Lee's Belere (V. V. Needa).
3. Man's High Power (A. W. Raymond).
Time: 59.2/5.

3. Racing Handicap. 11 Furlongs.
1. Ciro's Autumnlight (R. B. Moller).
2. The Farmer's Pharos (F. Noodt).
3. Fabri's Kildare (R. D. Parkin).
Time: 3:00.5.

4. Rubicon Plate. One Mile.
1. Mrs. Jack Liddell's Early School (H. Maitland).
2. P.J.C.S.'s Zucchini (A. F. Clark).
3. Sing Lee's Coronet (C. G. Jack).
Time: 2:45.4/5.

5. Chefoo Handicap "A" Class. 1 1/4 Miles.
1. Ray's Morning Ray (F. Noodt).
2. Springbok's Buffalo Bill (A. W. Raymond).
3. Ver Eve's Tower Eve (Gabor Remy).
Time: 2:47.2/5.

6. Chefoo Handicap "B" Class. 1 1/4 Miles.
1. Dixie's Norfolk (N. Deitz).
2. Mannington's Birchfield (A. Noodt) and R. H. McNair's Minkoz (A. W. Raymond).
Time: 2:51.1/5.

7. Sub-Griffins' Derby (Classic). 1 1/2 Miles.
1. Bill Eve's Radio Eve (H. Maitland).
2. The Villagers' Effingham (C. G. Jack).
3. Winsome and Hasty's The Gold Finch (V. V. Needa).
Time: 3:24.2/5.

8. Chinghai Plate. Seven Furlongs.
1. A. V. White's White Equerry (A. W. White).
2. H. H. McNair's Houdini (A. W. Raymond).
3. Sing Foong's Gilt Edge (C. En-carnacao).
Time: 1:52.2/5.

9. Ningpo Stakes. 1 1/4 Miles.
1. Morn's Naming Morn (N. Deitz).
2. Malice's Ben Lomond (J. Pote Hunt).
3. The Outsider's Record Mark (M. Hazzard).
Time: 2:40.3/5.

10. Shanghai Handicap. 1 1/2 Miles.
1. Ciro's Smoky Light (A. Noodt).
2. Fleckman and Fisher's National Spirit (P. H. P. Fortden).
3. Marshall and Bolton's Le Farceur (E. B. Cumine).
Time: 3:16.2/5.

11. Newchang Plate. One Mile.
1. Mrs. Jack Liddell's French Leave (H. Maitland).
2. Ciro's Breezy Light (A. Noodt).
3. Ray's Golden Ray (F. Noodt).
Time: 2:02.2/5.

12. Griffins' Scramble. Half a Mile.
1. N. L. Sparkes' Wild Gander (John Sparkes).
2. Busted's Busted Straight (C. En-carnacao).
3. R. Schlee's Minching Lane (V. L. Zavler).
Time: 59.2/5 secs. —Reuter.

RUGGER REFEREES IGNORE RULES

(Continued from Page 8.)

it as the benefit conferred on the game would be enormous.

AN EXAMPLE

Only recently I saw a match in which a visiting player was penalised for not playing the ball with the foot when he was brought to the ground and his arms were free.

On protesting to the referee he was informed that in that part of the country it was the invariable practice, and the referee added that he was not concerned with what was the general custom in England.

Such a thing would not be possible if referees met to receive expert instruction and a common interpretation of the laws.

SNOOKER SEMI-FINALS

A. J. Osmund And L. V. Antonio 'Win

L. V. Antonio entered the final of the Colony Snooker Championship last night at the expense of C. Strange whom he defeated on the table of the Royal Naval Dockyard Police Club by 232 to 143 over four frames. Mr. W. Stafford of the R.N.D.Y. Police was the Umpire.

The match was rather uninspiring. It began at 8 p.m. and lasted over two hours; the highest break was a 10 by the winner in the first frame which was remarkable in that Strange scored only 14 against his opponent's 79. If Antonio had not fouled on a black, Strange would not have reached double figures in the first frame.

Detailed scores were:
First frame—Antonio 79, Strange 14; lead of 65.

Second frame—Antonio 44, Strange 29; lead of 80.

Third frame—Antonio 40, Strange 42; lead of 78.

Fourth frame—Antonio 69, Strange 58; lead of 89.

It was mainly a bad start that put Strange badly in arrears that he was unable to recover, and it was the success of his early shots that gave Antonio confidence after that. After a cautious opening by both players, Antonio took advantage of an easy lay to score a break of 15, following which he made only one mistake in this frame which gave Strange his double figures.

Strange improved somewhat at the next meeting but Antonio's consistency kept him in the forefront and he was able to take advantage of several easy misses. He was still 81 ahead with all the reds potted and lost only two of his liberal margin on the colours.

The fourth frame found both players starting off well by punishing the black though tiredness was apparent in later shots. Antonio made a number of points away and Strange gained on snookers. It was the latter's inability to sustain his effort that kept him in arrears when Antonio though lacking in brilliance, made up for that deficiency in consistency.

OSMUND v. NORONHA
A. J. Osmund played finely to beat J. E. Noronha at the Chief Petty Officers' and Petty Officers' Recreation Room winning by 187 to 104.

Osmund commenced badly, losing the first frame at 18 to 55, but he rallied at the second frame, winning it 49-47. He never looked back after that, clinching the third frame 64-27, and taking the lead with 131-129. He easily won the last frame, taking it 56-35, giving him victory by 23 points.

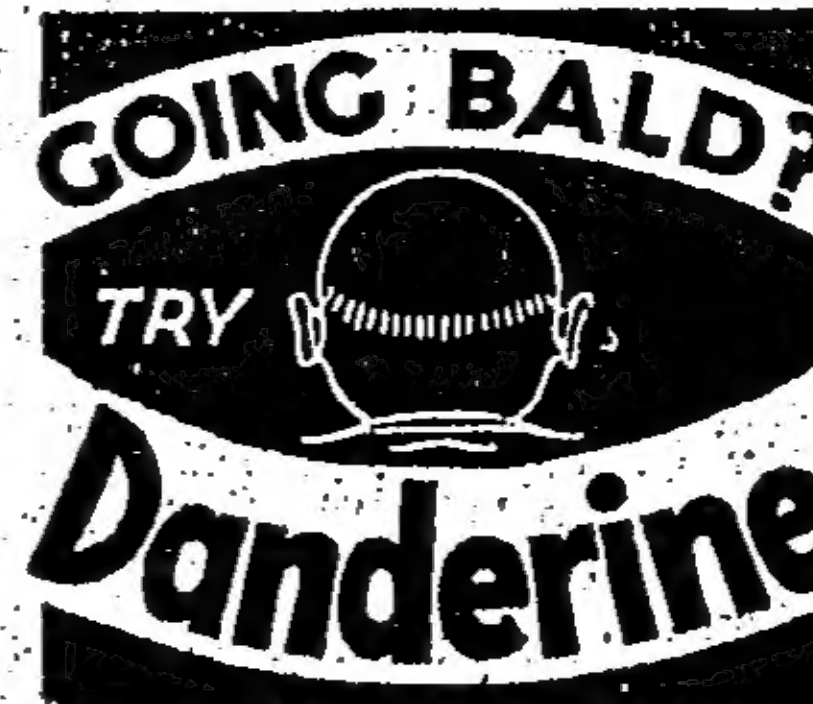
The highest break of the evening, 23, was scored by Osmund.

SPORT ADVTS.

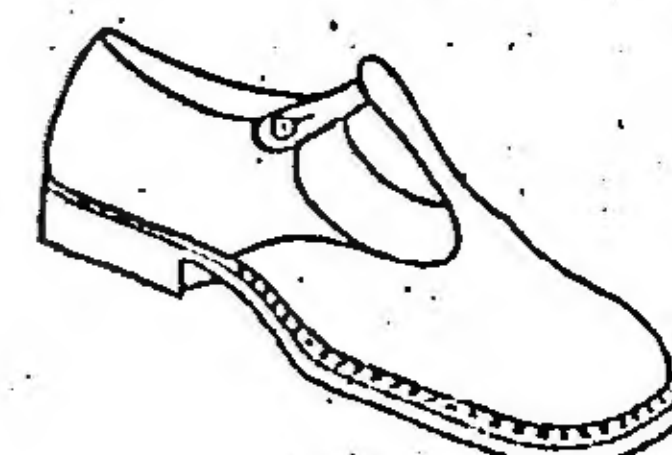
THE HONG KONG
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Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Fifth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 15th and Monday, 17th May, 1937, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road. Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 6th May, 1937.

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Liner Stewards get TIPS WORTH HAVING

A SHIP'S steward has just died, leaving rather more than £10,000, and one is prone to consider that tipping in ships is disproportionate.

From seven years' experience of continuous travel in Atlantic liners, I do not think this is so. One must bear in mind that Mr. William Twigg, the steward in question, had spent some 50 years at sea. Also, it is probable that many of his "tips" were Stock Exchange tips. Financiers are perhaps more communicative at sea than they are ashore.

If there are any members of an ocean liner's staff who get more generous tips than others they would be the stateroom stewards. In all big Atlantic liners the auction pool—the daily "flatter" on the ship's run—is bid nightly in the stateroom. The total in the pool may be as much as £2000 each night, and, according to unwritten law, a percentage of the winnings is divided among the stateroom staff.

It is indeed a fact that while the captain may make £350 a year—and no tips—the stateroom steward is often worth his good £2,500. Bedroom stewards in charge of suites and staterooms make good money. Promotion takes them from stern and bows cabins to those expensive staterooms amidships, where the traveller is willing to pay handsomely for the service he is entitled to expect there.

I have known the occupants of the Bridal Suite to give a five-dollar bill to their steward on bringing them a bottle of champagne. But that is Bridal Suite rates!

SOME ocean travellers do not believe in tipping at all. I remember sitting in the veranda cafe of the Mauretania at the next table to a world-famous American millionaire. He ordered three cocktails—priced one-and-threepence each—and put down a dollar bill (four shillings).

He waited so long for his three-ounce change that his two companions left him to take an airing on deck.

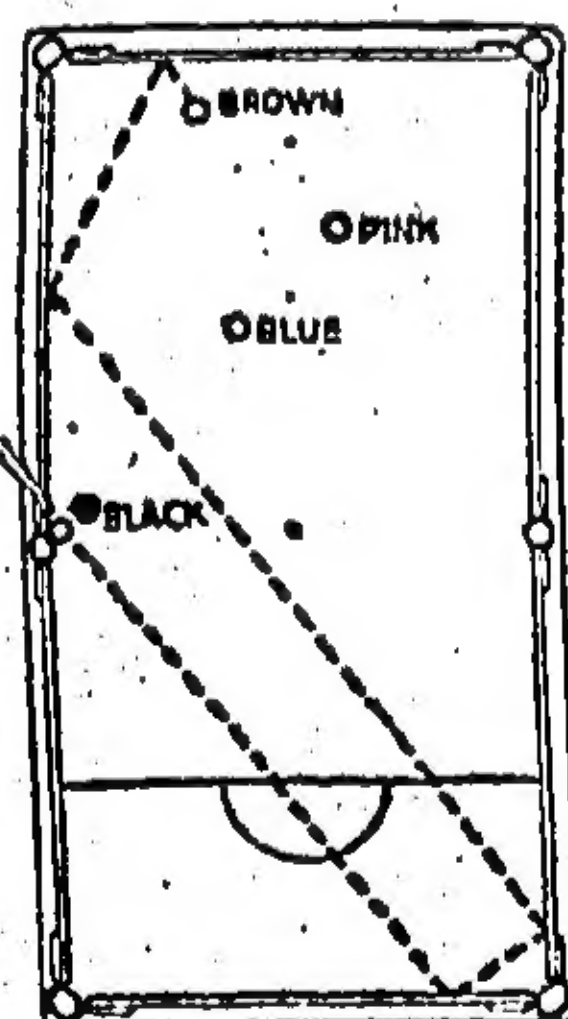
The same millionaire regularly pays his bedroom steward eight shillings at the end of the trip. But, in spite of idiosyncrasies like this, the average liner passenger knows perfectly well that he sets aside one-tenth of his passage money for tips.

THIS knowledge will be useful to those who are contemplating a cruise this year. Suppose your passage money is £30. You should spend £3 in tips, as follows:—

Bedroom steward, £1.
Table steward, £1.
Bath steward, Boots, Night Watchman, and the steward of the public room (you have most frequented (lounge, library, stateroom, deck, gymnasium, or swimming pool) £1, with the public-room steward getting the bigger share.

Roderick Morison

4-CUSHION SNOOKER SHOT



The ball struck near the right hand pocket, rebounded to the side cushion, diagonally to the cushion above black, and on to the top cushion, where, lo! and behold! it connected with the brown.

Was Joe's face red?

JOE DAVIS is firmly convinced that Horace Lindrum is a second cousin to the man who shakes off prison fetters.

The champion, in the third game of their match yesterday afternoon at Thurston's, left the white tucked "safe as houses" behind the black on the cushion, just above the middle pocket, as shown in the diagram. The object ball, the brown, was at the top of the table and Joe thought Horace was just about snookered.

After forming a mutual admiration society for some seconds, Joe left Horace to work out his own salvation.

"Masse!" thought Horace, "don't fancy it." With a look betokening nothing venture, nothing won, Horace made up his mind.

He played on to the bottom cushion.

The ball struck near the right hand pocket, rebounded to the side cushion, diagonally to the cushion above black, and on to the top cushion, where, lo! and behold! it connected with the brown.

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SMITH INTO SUPERMAN AGAIN

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Smith is worried about music.

He learned to use his ears before he could speak; he was soothed to sleep as an infant by music; he gets married to music.

He sings the National Anthem at football matches; he is moved, on the death of kings, by Chopin's "Funeral March." Music, in short, plays an enormous part in his everyday life, but still he is uneasy about it.

In the old days Smith might have found music something of an effort, but to-day he has only to turn a knob and he can hear all the music he wants.

And yet it frightens him. He is terrified by "classical" music as though it were a bitter medicine instead of a pleasure enjoyed by his own less experienced ancestors in the most ordinary manner.

ONE of Smith's first difficulties about music is that it's so "foreign." Twentieth-century Smith is less of a world-citizen than the Mr. Smith who was born in 1750, less inclined to accept "un-English" ideas and art.

Most of the music Smith hears when he turns the knob of his radio set is composed by foreigners, has foreign titles, and is described in foreign languages.

He has a horror of a Greek-derived word like "symphony," which has as its root a simple word "together," he boggles at "sonata," "movement," "chamber music," "allegro," "scherzo," "trio," "finale," "andante," and the other phrases which are part of the everyday language of music.

The technical terms of music are mostly Italian, not because music first came from Italy, but because music as we know it to-day first found its feet in Italy at the beginning of the Renaissance—1400 to 1550.

Thus a word like "sonata" is Italian for music which is "sounded," as opposed to "cantata," which is music that is "sung." "Symphony," in its original Italian form, was "sinfonia"—a piece of music played by the orchestra together ("in symphony") between the scenes of an opera.

Later the composers got to like the idea of a "sinfonia" as a (Italian for "time") is again described in Italian.

"Symphonies" and "sonatas" (usually for one or two instruments, as Smith has learned through his loud speaker) are divided into "movements," and "movements" refers to the movement of the music, its mood and

speed. This mood or "tempo" (Italian for "time") is again described in Italian.

SMITH hears the announcer say: "The work is in four movements—Allegro moderato, Andante, Scherzo, Finale, Eroica." And Smith for all that he likes music, doesn't know what the man is talking about.

If Smith does happen to know Italian he will learn that though "Allegro" literally means "jolly," and the music described as "Allegro moderato" may promise to be "moderately jolly," it may quite well turn out to be an extremely earnest piece of music.

"Allegro" has become a conventional term for fast, just as "Andante" has come to mean slow, though an Italian will use the word to describe an easy walking pace.

But what about the word written "Shirley-oh" and pronounced "Skairitzoh," or "Fine-die," pronounced "Feen-die," because he has seen the word in musical comedy programmes, and he remembers "Presto" from his Christmas party what (a) the conductor wants to hear and (b) what the composer new one. It means nothing more than a "jest"—a say, fast piece of heart: the music providing light relief.

When the announcer is through describing what is really nothing more than the composer's personal instructions to the conductor, Smith comes up against the more serious and complicated business of listening.

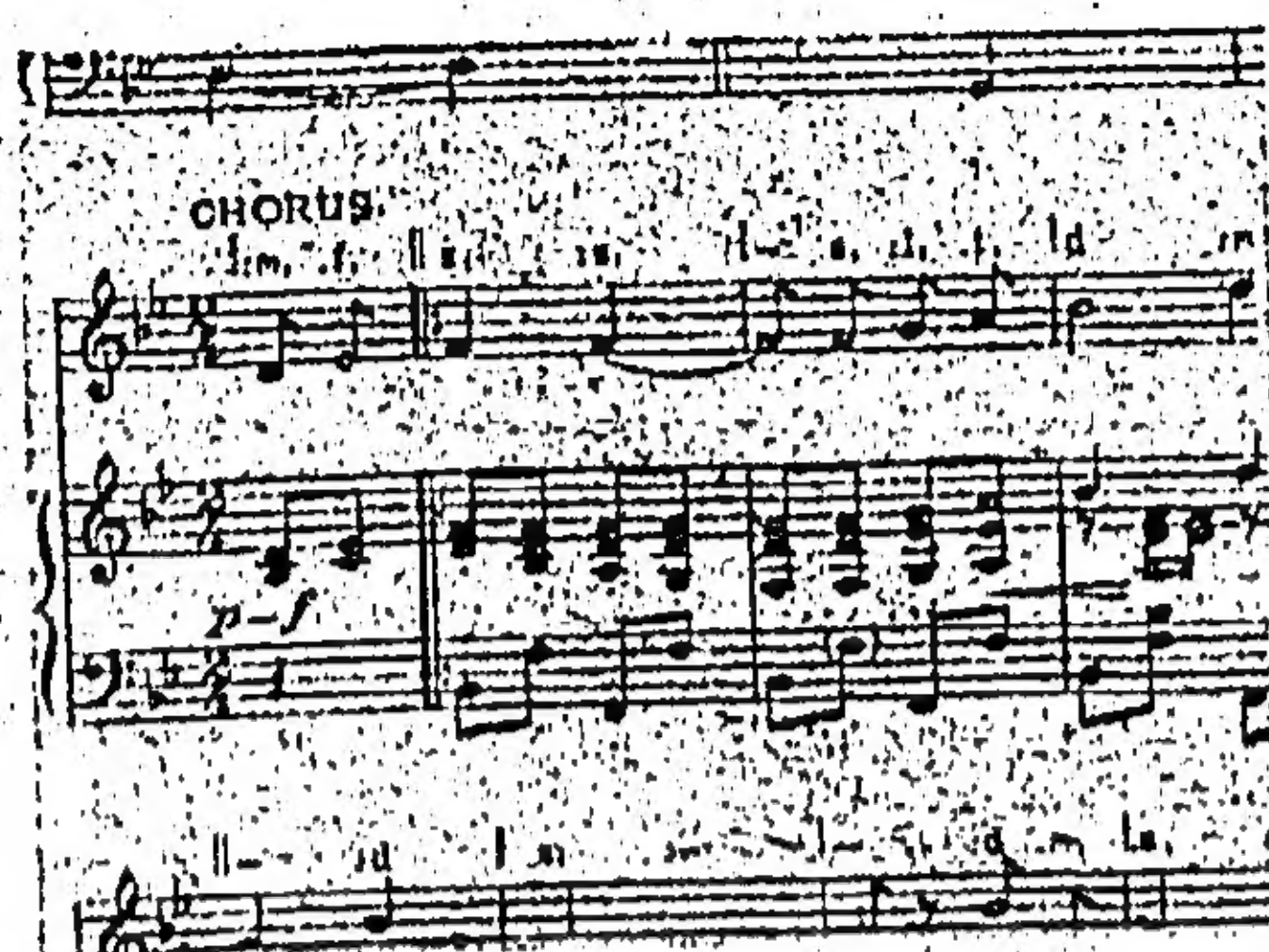
To appreciate limerick is one thing; to understand a Shakespeare sonnet is another. But

Try these tests

• They will recall some
of Smith's earlier lessons

1. Can you think of any reason why America was discovered in 1492 and not at some other date?
2. Why were so many canals dug towards the end of the 18th century and the beginning of the 19th?
3. There was a large increase in population, especially in towns. Those people had to be fed and goods carried to them. The roads, usually made simply by ploughing and levelling, were incredibly bad, and useless for transport; there were no railways until after George Stephenson got his steam engine going in 1825. So canals were dug for transport purposes.

YOU MAY NOT
KNOW WHAT THIS
MEANS, BUT IT
DOESN'T REALLY MATTER



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—IT'S "TIPPERARY,"
AS A MATTER OF FACT

How does Smith listen? He will not stop to ask what music is for, nor what it means, because he should not. It is well on the way to appreciating the radio if he cannot answer these questions.

Smith's first preference for music will probably be for music played on the piano.

Famous pianists are always more successful with the public than other instrumentalists because they play an instrument we all know fairly intimately, and which even a cat can produce a noise from.

WITH one finger we can play a note on the piano which will sound a note not so different from Paderewski's one finger. (But it will be different.)

But a violin... you've got to hold it up, have a bow in the other hand, drag it across the strings, and then produce a sound that resembles nothing on earth.

The piano has one great advantage as an instrument to listen to. Smith will find that it gives him all the richness of tone of an orchestra without asking of him that he should differentiate between individual instruments.

A piano—which is a black and white instrument to look at—gives you music in black and white. It is the ground plan of music.

But, just as blue prints can be extremely beautiful in themselves, so can the piano.

Smith, listening to a Chopin nocturne, will hear on the piano what the composer intended—long melodies suggestive of the human voice. The human voice—that same organ which Smith asks for a mild-mannered—this is not only the foundation of all music, but the ultimate criterion by which music is judged, to which all music strives.

The human voice by itself is capable only of producing a tune. So Smith, listening to music, should, since he can produce a tune, be able to hear a tune.

And given a good conductor—Smith, when he turns on a broadcast symphony concert, will hear what (a) the conductor wants to hear and (b) what the composer new one. It means nothing more than a "jest"—a say, fast piece of heart: the music providing light relief.

Good music is only a collection of tunes, whatever you may say.

To appreciate limerick is one thing; to understand a Shakespeare sonnet is another. But

(of their kind) they are both poetry. And so Smith, once he can recognise the National Anthem when he hears it, is well on the way to appreciating a Beethoven symphony.

It is purely a question of practice—like seeing the ball at cricket.

Music students who are brought up the right way are told to listen to as much music, of all kinds, as possible—to get used to the sound of music.

That is what Smith, student-listener, should do. He should accept, to begin with, the greatness of Haydn, Mozart, Schubert and Beethoven. He will learn later to estimate their greatness for himself.

Smith, listening to his first orchestral broadcast, may feel confused at first that the tunes of a symphony are not always played by the same instruments.

But in a short while his ears will become accustomed to being assisted by the eye. Smith's ear will run across the orchestra in the same way that his eye adjusts itself to the different type-sizes used as headings on Page One of the Daily Express.

And, like newspaper headlines, these instruments will tell him stories, give him different aspects, possibilities, opinions of the facts (tunes) that go to make up a symphony.

HE will find hard news in the first movement—a true tune stated barely, developed, another subsidiary tune introduced reverently as a sidelight on the story. The slow movement will give him more facts—the deep emotional facts of a Courts page.

The third movement—scherzo or minuet—will provide the entertaining galaxy of the feature pages—the Home Page Cat, and Beachcomber might issue straight from a Haydn symphony.

The finale leaves Smith fully satisfied—sports pages and pictures rolled into one; no great intellectual effort needed, but its absence would leave an unaccountable feeling of discontent.

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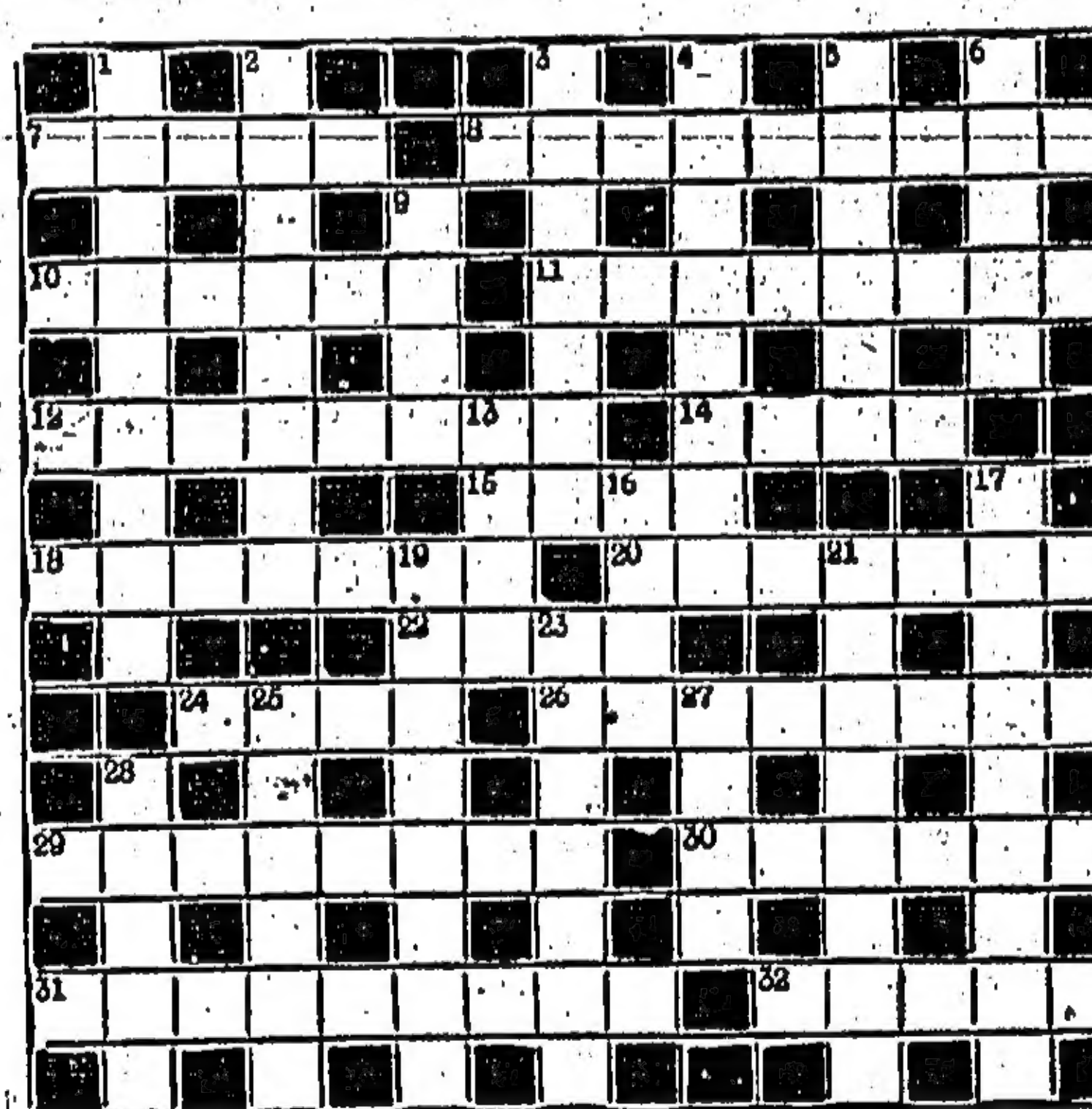
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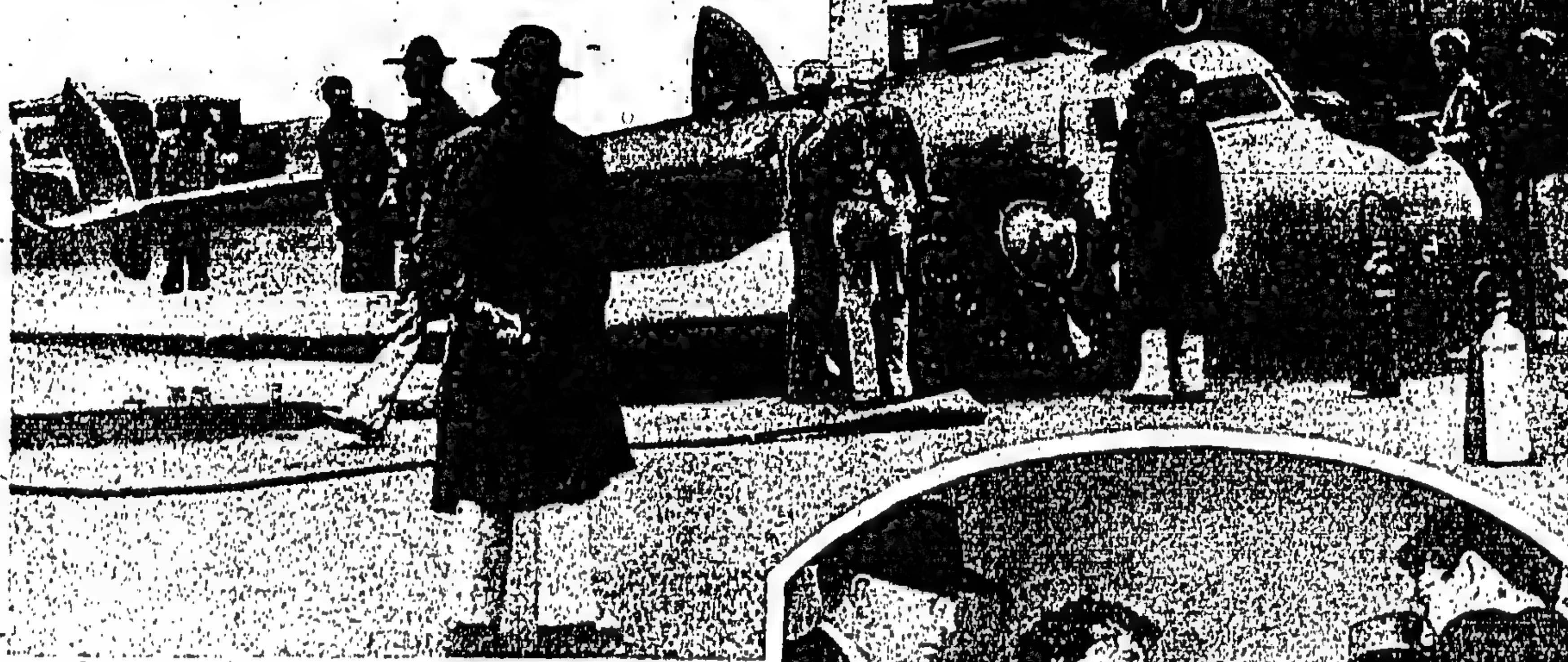
- ACROSS
- 7 Even the street urchin in this way can make a thousand profit.
 - 8 Great people that authors love.
 - 10 Last month the notices were out, excluding juveniles.
 - 11 Often heard spoken of as four words when they actually cover pages.
 - 12 Trying to learn.
 - 14 Is in reverse.
 - 15 Undiluted.
 - 18 There's something of a swindle in being so closely confined.
 - 20 It would be satter without any vegetable.
 - 22 The noes have it.
 - 24 Not up to much (hyphen, 2, 2).
 - 26 Cuckoo!
 - 28 Soldier who is no burglar.
 - 30 Kind words of appreciation from Persia.
 - 31 Something, or somebody you can't think of.
 - 32 What people who differ may come to.
- DOWN
- 1 A regular dust-up in the desert.
 - 2 The lad is after the 6.50 in Suburbia.
 - 3 Make up or settle down.
 - 4 Shows Buttons' insects.
 - 5 Tansol (anag.).
 - 6 Like a flute with an organ.
 - 9 Continental capital.
 - 13 The reverse of a do.
 - 16 Made out of pens to give the monk ease. (Oh! dear!)
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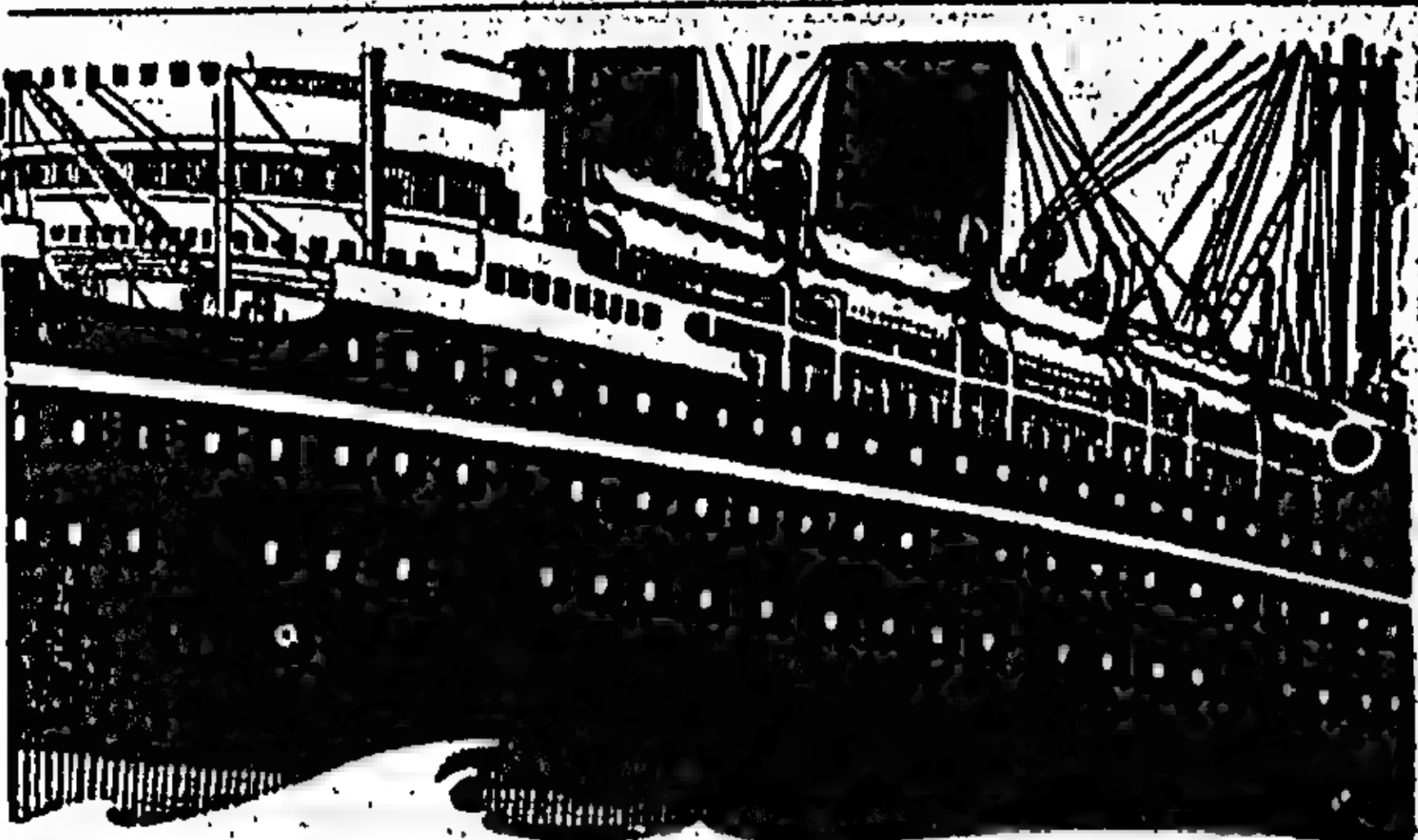
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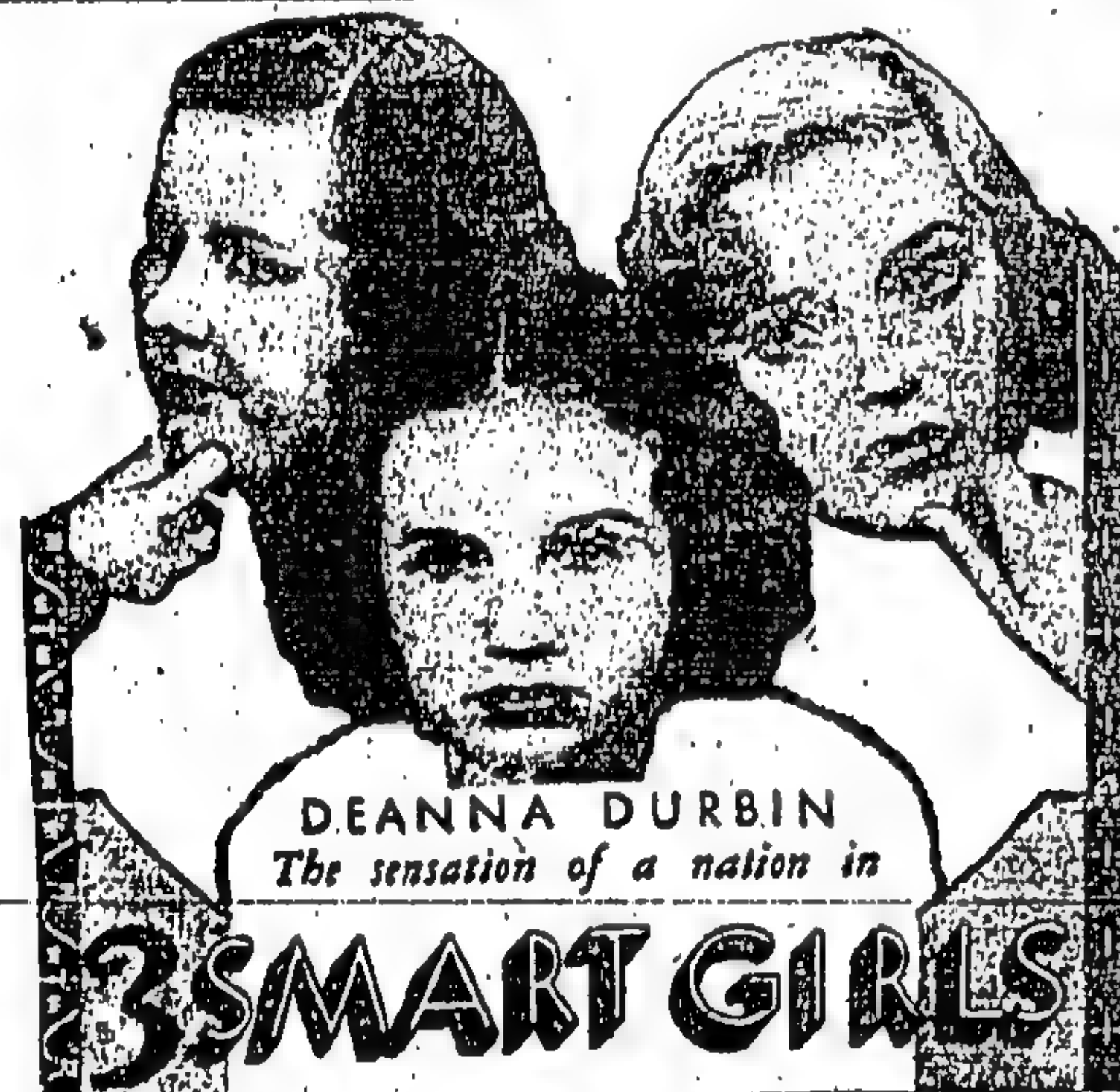
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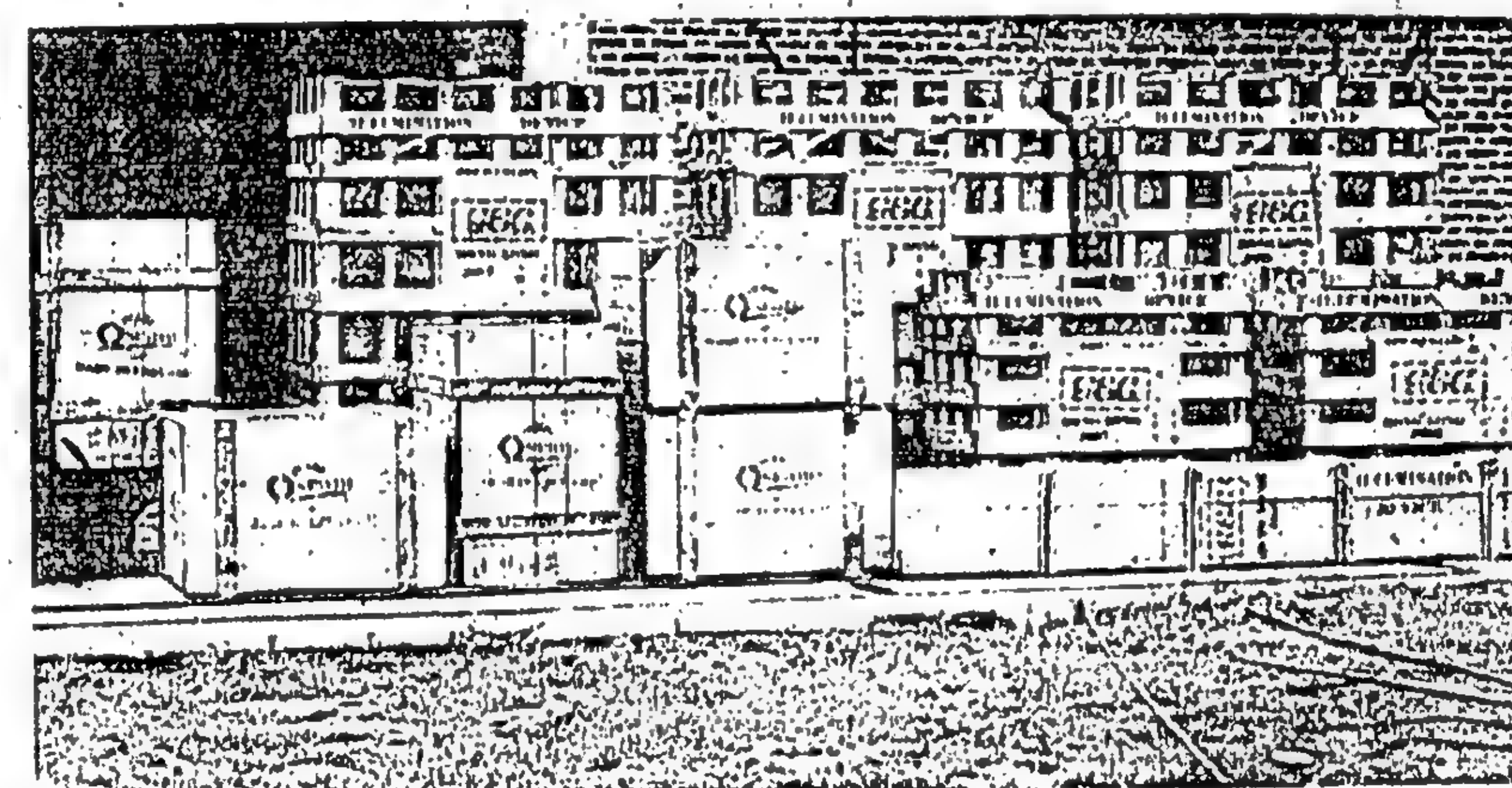
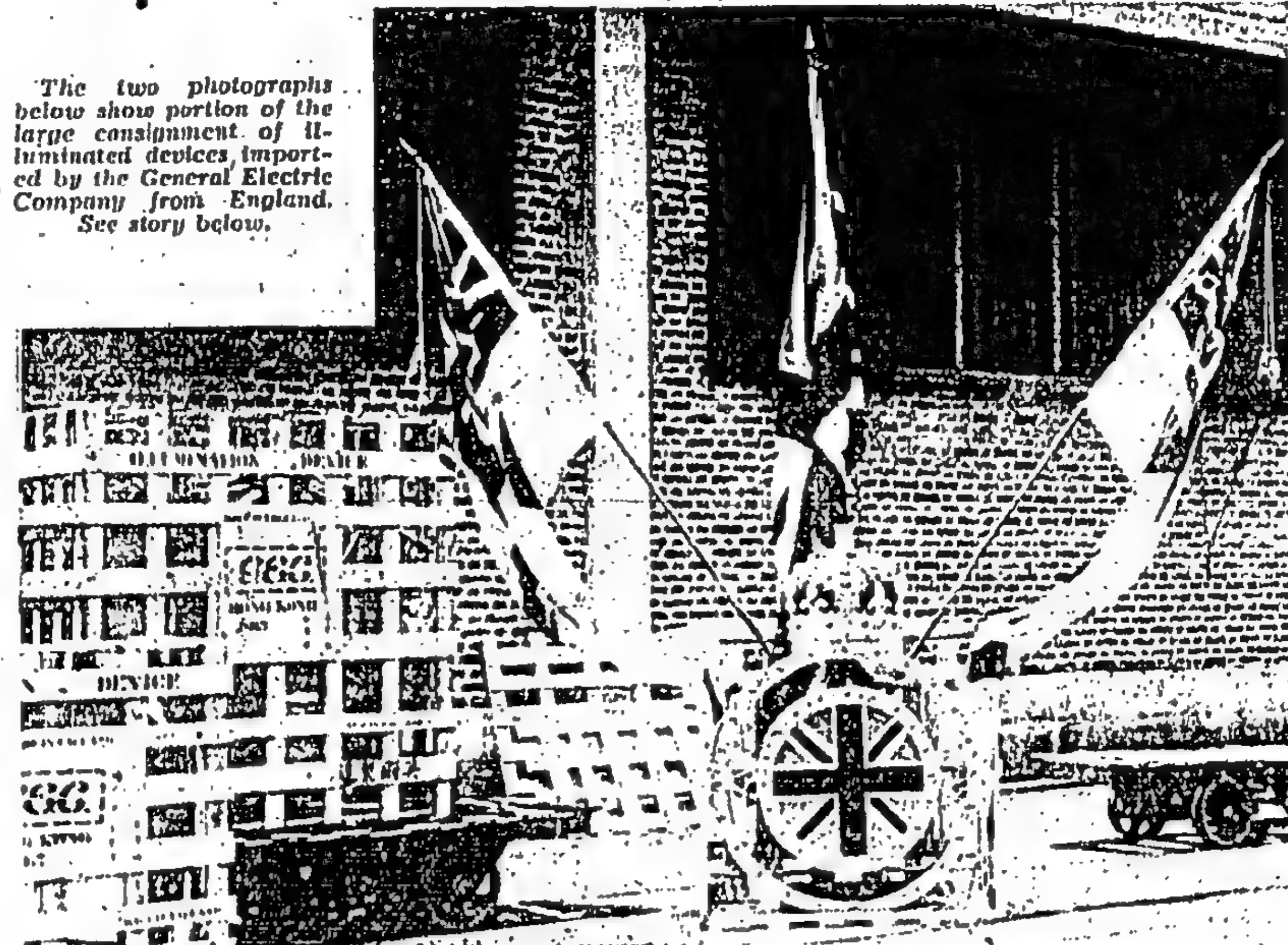
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Peninsula Hotel Will Use New Floodlight System

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ALMOST before it was landed in Hongkong, the General Electric Company of China Ltd., has sold practically all of its huge consignment of illuminated Coronation devices. The collection, comprising illuminated shields, flags and crowns, is an indication of the rapid advance that has been made in the art of electric illumination since the time of the Coronation of King George V in 1911.

In the 1911 Coronation gas and oil provided the chief methods of illumination. In the Coronation of 1937, electric light will almost exclusively be used.

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The General Electric Company is providing the illuminations for many important buildings in the Colony. Sixty-five thousand electric light bulbs are being installed for the Hongkong Government and private firms as part of Hongkong's decorations by night.

The Hongkong Electric Company's power house at North Point, the Peninsula Hotel and the Exchange Building are being floodlit, the two latter with a new type of lamp, which provides three times as much light with the amount of electrical energy previously used in flood-lighting. These buildings will utilise a red motif for flood-lighting.

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July	13.00/00	13.05/06
October	12.77/78	12.83/84
December	12.75/75	12.80/81
January	12.77/77	12.83/83
March	12.80/80	12.85/85
Spot	13.50	13.55

New York Rubber		
May	20.53n	21.26/26
July	21.10b/13a	21.40/40
Sept.	21.20/21	21.63/64
Dec.	21.24/24	21.55n
January	21.24n	21.55n
March	21.24n	21.50b/50a

Sales for the day—1,470 tons.

Chicago Wheat		
May	130 1/4/130 1/4	128 1/2/128 1/2
July	118 1/2/118 1/2	118 1/2/118 1/2
Sept.	116 1/2/116 1/2	116 1/2/116 1/2

Monday's sales—27,725,000 bushels.		
May	130 1/4/130 1/4	131/131
July	117 1/2/117 1/2	118 1/2/118 1/2
Sept.	108 1/2/108 1/2	108 1/2/108 1/2

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MINE STRIKE THREAT SOME DISORDER REPORTED

London, May 4. In the House of Commons tomorrow, on the vote for the Mines Department, there will be a discussion of the threatened national coal strike and the situation at Harworth, in Nottinghamshire, where bitterness arising from the dispute between rival local unions and the management of the colliery has led to some disorder. The Prime Minister assured the Opposition leader that, in addition to the Mines Secretary, whose statement is anxiously and hopefully awaited, other Cabinet Ministers would be present.—British Wireless.

CORONATION HOLIDAY

The Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce has received a notification from the British Chamber of Commerce, Shanghai, that the Member Banks of the Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers Association have agreed to declare a holiday on Wednesday, May 12, to mark the occasion of the Coronation of H. M. King George VI.

PAPAL NOTE TO GERMANY

Vatican City, May 4. The controversy between the Vatican and the German Government over the position of Catholics in Germany was carried a stage further to-day when a Papal Note, replying to recent allegations, was handed to the German Minister to the Holy See.—Reuter.

HIGH TRIBUTE TO CHINA

(Continued from Page 1.)

Admiral Chen, also a member of the delegation was no stranger, said Mr. Quo, and he was now happily renewing old sailorly contacts.

Mr. Quo expressed the pleasure and honour which they all felt that Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Mr. Anthony Eden were sparing time to be present in these crowded days. Mr. Anthony Eden, in replying to the toast, said nobody with any imagination could fail to be stirred by the striking recovery which China had made from the troubles of a decade ago. This was especially pleasing to Britain, which was united to China by ties of very ancient friendship. It was yet another proof of the intrinsic vitality of the Chinese race and of their ability to adapt themselves to new circumstances.

In conclusion, Mr. Eden paid a warm tribute to the wise leadership of Marshal Chiang Kai-shek.—Reuter.

Among the passengers who sailed on the Terukuni Maru for Japan yesterday afternoon was Mr. K. Midzuzawa, former Consul-General in Hongkong, who is going home on leave. His place in Hongkong is being taken by the Vice-Consul, Mr. H. Okamoto.

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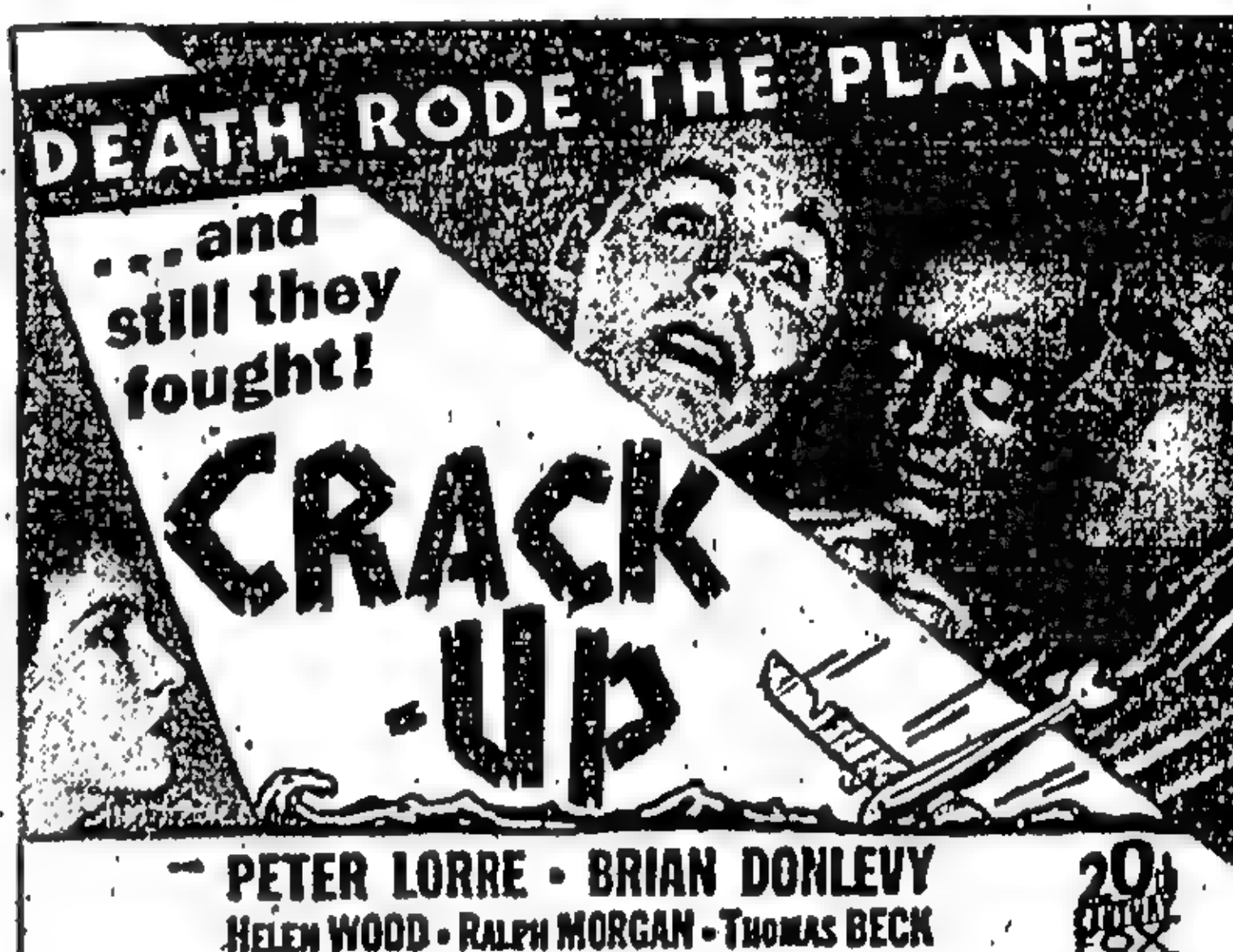
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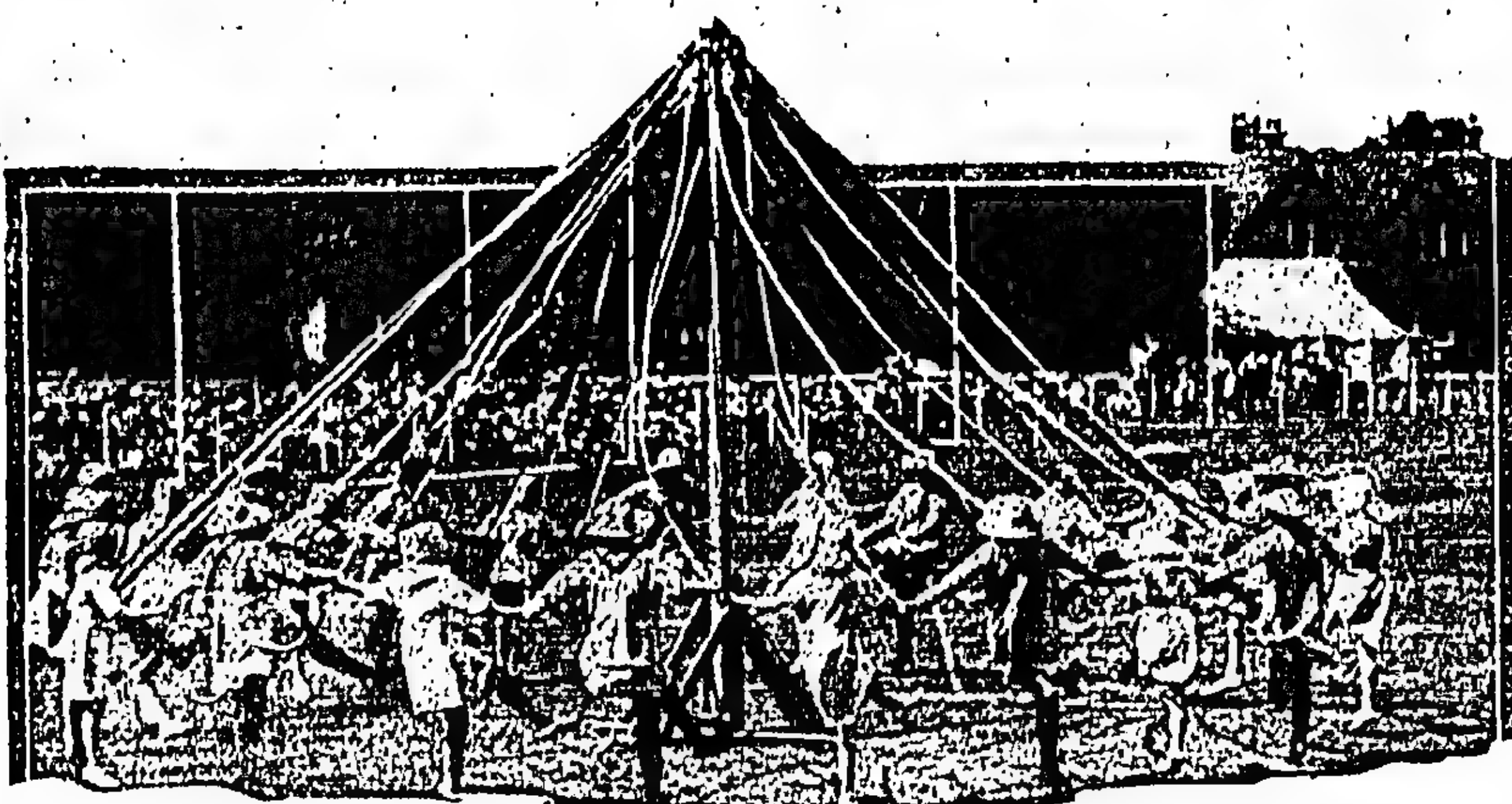


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of salt, and cold water for mixing. Line a plate with the pastry. Trim the edge by pressing all round with a fork, prick the centre and spread with jam.

Roll out the trimmings, cut into strips and twist, then place criss-cross over the pie. Bake in a hot oven for 20 minutes.

The old custom of dancing round the Maypole still lives in many parts of the country.

MAY DAY Feastings

FROM time immemorial the first of May has been a day of rejoicing and feasting in Britain and over a large part of Europe.

It is chiefly in the West Country that traces of the old "janketings" survive. Old people still recall the days when early in the morning the young people of Devonshire went to the woods where they cut down their Maypole and decked it with a garland, then bore it back with posies of flowers and sweet-smelling herbs, to the green where later the old dances were performed.

"At Penzance," we read in the ancient records, "parties of youths and maidens went out to farmhouses early in the day, there to partake of a beverage called janket, made of raw milk and rennet (or 'running', as it is there called), sweetened with sugar and a little cream added."

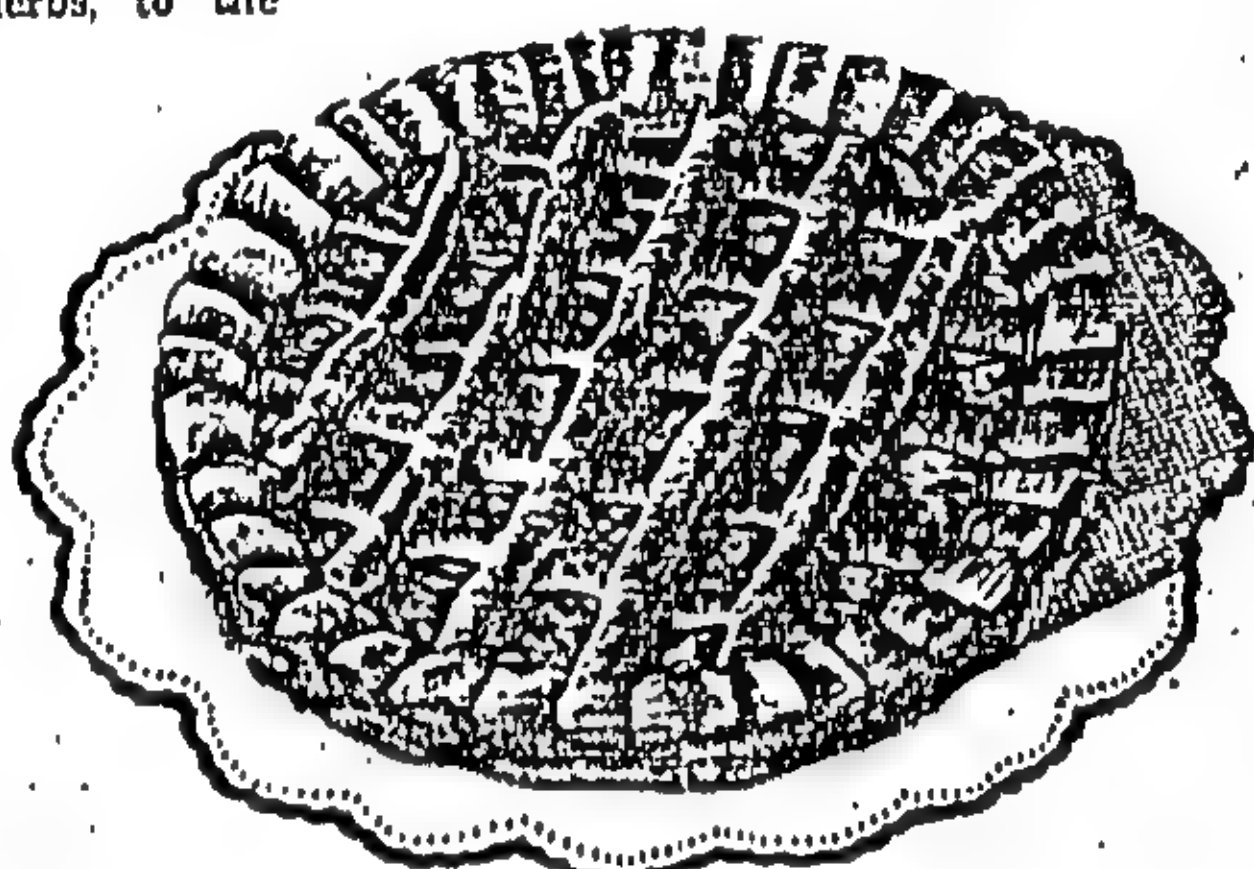
Cakes and...

The old chronicler tells also of a heavy country cake made of flour, cream, sugar and currants, which was eaten on these occasions to the accompaniment of liberal portions of rum and milk.

Cornwall is one of the last fastnesses of the old traditional May Day ceremonies. Those arriving at a house with garlands of flowers with which to deck the home were rewarded with great bowls of janket and cream, sometimes "laced" with brandy or port.

May Day was essentially the milk-maid's festival. In many towns and villages the girls would lead their favourite cows—Ruby, Sweetlips,

Then & Now!



An open jam tart is a family favourite.

Strawberry—with loops of garlands and sweet herbs twined in their horns, through the streets. This was a scene not unknown to the London of those days.

Lancashire and Cheshire, Derbyshire and many parts of the North Midlands had similar traditional celebrations down to the 70's and 80's of last cen-

tury, but in every case, no matter how widely the local celebrations differed in character, janket was the seasonal dish in cottage and in castle.

Janket, by a dozen different names and made a dozen different ways, was known and made from very ancient times, from Keble to the Shetlands.

From the simple milk, curdled with rennet and allowed to set overnight, to highly seasoned milk dishes, with wine and spices among the ingredients.

Norwegian Custom

To this day in the far northern isles and in parts of Norway, the May Day janket is simply fresh milk "yearned," or poured, by the addition of the juice of the graceful little streamside plant, the butterwort, and allowed to stand until firmly set.

The modern dietitian would encourage the revival of the janketings of our ancestors, though he, like Cromwell, might consider brandy or rum conducive to a too enthusiastic celebration of the occasion.

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An open-jam tart, with appetising criss-crosses of golden pastry, like the one illustrated, simply melts in your mouth, if made with Spry and cool hands.

Use 6oz. short-crust pastry, made with 6oz. flour, 4oz. Spry, a good pinch

DINNER MENU

Fillet of Plaiçe, Meunière
Boiled Chicken and Curry Sauce
Boiled Rice Mango Chutney
Fresh Fruit Salad

ALLOW a fillet of plaiçe for each person. Cut small gashes in the fish, rub in salt, pepper, and the juice of half a lemon, and stand for 10 minutes. Then dip in milk, dredge with flour, and fry in butter. Put in a hot dish, add the juice of half a lemon to the butter in which they were fried, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, and heat thoroughly before pouring over the fish.

Curry sauce adds flavour to a boiled chicken. Peel and slice 6 onions and 3 apples, cook in 3oz. of butter until tender, then add a good tablespoonful of curry powder, mix well, and add a pint of the stock in which the chicken was cooked. Stir well and cook for 20 minutes, rub through a sieve, thicken if liked, and serve very hot.

For the fruit, make a syrup with 6oz. of caster sugar and a gill of water, pour over the fruit while hot, and leave to cool.



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Meet the MACARONI FAMILY

If you want to meet all the members of this extensive family you must go to Soho. In the Italian shops there you will find all kinds of unexpected varieties, but in the big stores there are usually to be had nearly a dozen different varieties of macaroni, spaghetti, vermicelli and noodles, as well as letters, shells and stars for use in soup. Wholemeal macaroni makes a change sometimes, and in varying the ways of cooking the paste, it is interesting to try different members of the tribe.

The secret of cooking all these varieties is to have your water salted and boiling hard, and so generous that the pieces of macaroni can almost swim in it. Sudden macaroni is usually due to insufficient water, so that the strands adhere to each other.

The Italians take endless trouble with the sauces they serve to make their staple food exciting. Try these with your next dish of spaghetti or macaroni.

Ham & Mushroom Sauce

Cook a cupful of chopped celery and a cupful of chopped onions in

1½ cupfuls of good stock, and when tender add ½ cupful finely shredded ham and 4oz. of chopped cooked mushrooms. Season well, thicken if necessary with a little flour, and pour over some cooked macaroni or spaghetti, and decorate with sliced hard-boiled egg and paprika.

Horseradish Sauce

Mix together a tablespoonful of sugar, a teaspoonful of dry mustard, ¼ teaspoonful salt, a tablespoonful of vinegar, 2 tablespoonfuls of tomato ketchup, a cupful of good stock, and ½ gill grated horseradish. Heat together, and pour over 6oz. of ribbon macaroni that has been cooked, rinsed and drained. A little cream can be mixed with the macaroni before the sauce is added. Serve very hot with roast beef.

Spaghetti Souffle

is made by mixing about 6oz. of cooked spaghetti with a pint of thick white sauce. Add 5 beaten egg yolks, a grated onion, a tablespoonful of chopped parsley, salt and pepper. Cool, then fold in the stiffly whipped egg whites, pour into a greased dish,

and bake in a hot oven for about 20 minutes. Serve with mushroom or tomato sauce. More or less spaghetti can be used according to taste.

Noodle Loaf

Noodles are a flat edition of macaroni, made with eggs. Mix together ½ pint cooked noodles, 1½ gills fine breadcrumbs, 2 beaten eggs, a gill of grated cheese, ½ pint cooked tomatoes, a tablespoonful of melted butter, and seasonings of salt, pepper and made mustard. Bake in a greased dish in a moderate oven for about thirty-five minutes, turn upside down and garnish with parsley.

Macaroni Fritters

are made by chopping some cooked macaroni and mixing it with thick white sauce. Flavour with grated cheese and tomato ketchup, make into flat cakes on a floured board. Brush with beaten egg, fry in boiling fat and drain. These can be used as a sweet if the cheese and ketchup are omitted, the white sauce sweetened, and the fritters served with jam.

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LEGIONAIRES LEAVE MOROCCO DESPITE RISK OF PUNISHMENT

Widespread desertions by Italians and Germans from the famed French Foreign Legion because of Italo-German propaganda since the start of the Spanish civil war are reported in the following dispatch by Jean Perrigault of the United Press-North African staff, who was the first reporter for an American news service to reach the Spanish colony of Ifni on the West Coast of Africa.

By JEAN PERRIGAULT
United Press Staff Correspondent

Extreme South Morocco. (By Camel Caravan and Airplane).

"Adieu Napoleon, Heil Hitler. Viva Mussolini."

These words were painted on the side of a truck from a French Foreign Legion outpost at Foun El Hassane a few days ago, just before two legionnaires deserted and tried to reach Rio de Oro in the truck.

They may well be the keynote of the entire intensive propaganda campaign from which the famous North African army has been suffering during the past year, climaxed by Chancellor Adolf Hitler's decree that any German enlisting loses his nationality.

Jewish Girls Fail As Wives

—SAYS RABBI

THE modern Jewish girl is a failure as a wife, according to a famous Jewish rabbi.

Jewish religious and educational bodies state that the cause is lack of interest in their religion.

Leaders of Jewry are inaugurating a "girls' week" as an appeal to parents to see that their daughters have more religious instruction.

"Girls seem to have been neglected by their parents these days, and when they marry they cannot keep their homes together," said Rabbi M. Gollop.

PARENTS' APATHY

"The attendances of girls at religious instruction are a long way behind the boys, particularly between the ages of 14 and 20, and this seems to be due to parents' apathy."

"I do not say there is anything wrong morally, but they do not go to synagogue. The result is that during the most difficult age Jewish girls are liable to get lax and even throw religion over."

"Our aim during 'Girls' Week' will be to bring back our girls to a true sense of their religious responsibilities."

The appeal during "Girls' Week" will be made to encourage the adolescents who seem to lack something their parents have had in the past.

Their parents can and did keep their homes together, Jewish authorities believe, through religious life.



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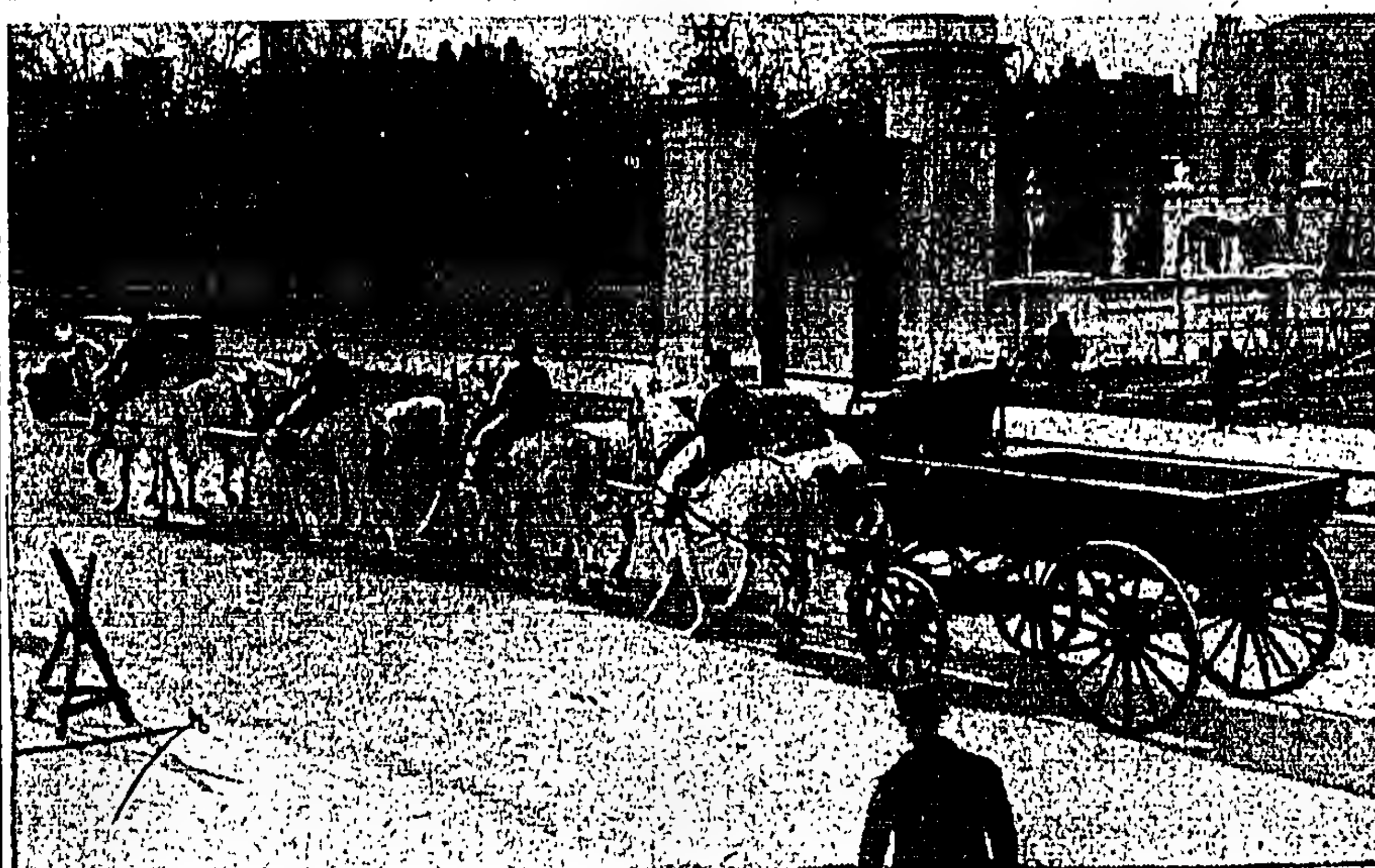
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Wanted: A Second-hand Warship

Trouble In California

San Antonio, May 10.
Charles A. Demers, surgeon, sailor and accomplished lover has postponed plans for his seventh marriage.

The postponement resulted from the fact that he failed to get divorces from his first six wives.

For that little oversight the gay Lothario from Fall River, Mass., was sentenced to five years in the Leavenworth Penitentiary. Judge R. M. McMillan also fined him \$1,000.

Demers pleaded guilty to the charges, but he questioned one point in the government's accusations. He said he thought he was only five divorces behind, instead of six.

"I'm not sure, but I think my first wife divorced me a couple of years after I left her," he said.

His first wife, he said, was Lena Edmond. He said he married her in Massachusetts in 1922, "shortly after I was graduated from surgical school in London."

The versatile, 38-year-old heart-breaker, who also was an electrician and did a little preaching on the side, said he wooed his wives "in 14 languages."

GOT HIM IN DUTCH

His statement to the court said that after leaving his first wife he married Virginia Dunston in Alabama in 1931; Adeah Gillette in Houston in 1933; Hazel Smith in Alabama in the same year; Gwendolyn Pittinger, pastor of the four-square gospel church, in Santa Barbara, Calif., in 1934; and—wife No. 5—Clyde Alexander, former San Antonio girl whom he married in Memphis, Tenn.

"It was this sixth wife that got me in Dutch," he said sadly.

It was after he married Miss Alexander that she—and federal officers—learned of the previous marriages and lack of divorces.

The law did not catch with him sooner, he explained to the judge because he changed his name with practically every marriage.

"My wives go variously by the names of Mrs. Demers, Mrs. Courtney Hetherington, Mrs. Courtney Gouthey, and Mrs. Maurice Pierpont," he said.

Demers, alias Hetherington, alias Gouthey, alias Pierpont, was arrested a few weeks ago in Aberdeen, S.D. while working as an electrician and making plans to marry wife No. 7.

—United Press.

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Senor Del Vayo, Spanish Foreign Minister, stated recently in Valencia: "Our crying need is for an up-to-date and powerful battleship which will give us control over Franco's forces in the Mediterranean."

"We need a warship big enough and fast enough to suppress the menace of the insurgent cruiser Canarias, to blow it out of the water."

The Government already have a battleship, the Jaime I. (10,000 tons), but she is twenty-two years old, and the insurgents cancel her out with her sister-ship Espana.

'TERROR' SHIP

The Canarias is brand new. Her eight-inch guns were not fitted until the war began. She is fast, easy to manoeuvre, and has been a constant terror to the Government.

She sank the Government destroyer, Almirante Ferrandiz with the loss of 115 lives, sank the cargo boat Manuel (eighteen drowned), and holed the Government cruiser Libertad, thus keeping open the Straits for the transport of Moroccan troops. She has bombarded Barcelona, and has blown up many foodships.

Jaime I., recently put out of action by an aerial bomb, returned last week and bombarded Malaga.

OWEN MOORE NOT MAD

Los Angeles, Apr. 25.
AN action alleging insanity against Owen Moore, the film actor and former husband of Miss Mary Pickford, was dismissed by Los Angeles court to-day.

His wife, Mrs. Kathryn Perry Moore, had him committed to hospital for psychopathic observation, alleging that he was becoming drunk and violent and that he had attempted to slush her with a butcher's knife.

"I am a rational man and rather sensitive," Mr. Moore told the court. "I don't belong in the psychopathic ward of a general hospital."

Mr. Moore appeared in court with his head swathed in bandages. It was alleged that his wounds were self-inflicted during intoxication.—United Press.

Trouble In Paradise

Amsterdam, Apr. 23.
LOVE, jealousy, spring and the Suburb of Too-Beautiful Girls yesterday caused the police of Amsterdam quite a lot of trouble.

The Suburb of Too-Beautiful Girls is Landsmeer. The neighbouring suburb of Oostzaan is not so well-blessed.

So the boys of Oostzaan have taken to trespassing in the suburb of Landsmeer and walking away with the girls. Much to the indignation of the boys of Landsmeer.

"Hands off our girls!" warnings failed to have any effect. So last night the boys of Landsmeer decided on direct action.

Result: a riot, finally broken up by the police. Half the boys of Oostzaan to-day are walking the streets with blackened eyes and swollen noses. Others are in hospital with broken arms and legs.

London, Apr. 27.
The Prime Minister announced that the House of Commons would adjourn for the Coronation and Whit sun recess on May 6 and reassemble on May 24.—Reuter.



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Sam Browne's Famous Cavalry Disbands

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It has left Jubbulpore, where it has been stationed since 1935, for Ferozepore, and is to become a training regiment for mounted units.

There will be no further recruitment for Sam Browne's Cavalry.

Thus disappears from the Indian Army a picturesque regiment with a long and distinguished history—throughout the Mutiny, through Frontier and Afghan wars, and in Mesopotamia during the Great War.

It was raised at Lahore in 1849 by Lieut. Samuel J. Browne (afterwards General Sir Samuel Browne), the 2nd Regiment of Punjab Cavalry. In 1921 it was amalgamated with the 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force), which was also raised in 1849, by Captain R. Fitzgerald, of the Bombay Army, as the 5th Regiment of Punjab Cavalry.

Browne won the V.C. during the Mutiny, and in 1875 was chosen as the representative of the Anglo-Indian Army for the tour of India by King Edward VII., then Prince of Wales.

He died in 1901 at Ryde, Isle of Wight.

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The Fifty-Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the undersigned on Tuesday, the 18th May, 1937, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1936.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 4th to the 18th May, 1937, both days inclusive.

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All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society. The Informant's name will be kept strictly private, except in cases where malice is proved.

N.Z. PREMIER ARRIVES

London, May 4. The Prime Minister of New Zealand, Mr. Savage, arrived in London to-day for the Coronation and the Imperial Conference.—British Wire-
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Competitors in this Class should make a point of reflecting the Coronation spirit in their entries, and also keep in mind the artistic angle. In other words, their photographs should not be merely pictorial records of the local celebrations.

The Coronation entries will form part of the general Competition, which will extend from June to August, inclusive.

Watch Out for Further
Details Regarding
Entry Date and
Conditions.TWO DOCTORS ATTACK
OSTEOPATHY

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travelled with him through many States, doing many jobs.

He had considerable mechanical skill. He was an expert shot. His first acquaintance with anatomy was through skinning squirrels.

During his father's temporary practice of medicine he enlarged his knowledge of anatomy by dissecting the bodies of dead Indians.

At that time he was, as far as his knowledge went, an orthodox practitioner. But in 1904 two of his children died from meningitis. Orthodox medicine had failed and orthodox medicine had prescribed drugs.

Ten years later he astonished his friends by renouncing drugs for ever. "All remedies necessary to health exist in the human body"—that was the centre plank of his platform.

It followed, therefore, that all disease was the result of anatomical abnormalities, and the cure adjustment to the normal. Nothing else was necessary.

His study of anatomy led him to the conclusion that abnormalities in the bone structure were the root cause of disease and the key bone was the back bone.

If a vertebra were out of place it would exert a harmful pressure on arteries, veins and nerves and the malfunctioning of these in turn produced the various harmful conditions that the world called diseases and that orthodox doctors accounted to germs.

These "osteopathic lesions," as the abnormalities were called, could be cured by manipulation. Therefore manipulation could cure any complaint.

It is this dangerous claim that Doctor Hill and Doctor Clegg have set out to expose.

Osteopaths are precise and definite in their claims. "Osteopathy is drugless medicine and bloodless surgery." It does not aim at supplementing present medical practice, but at superseding it.

Without elaborating the numerous reasons why Doctor Hill and Doctor Clegg say this claim cannot hold water, where other considerations which are said to be unfavourable to the cause of osteopathy as at present practised.

It was stated before a Select Committee of the House of Lords that the teaching available for young osteopaths, both in America and England was insufficient for the successful practice even of their own methods. It was also inadequate for any successful diagnosis.

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ARRIVED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)
CALCHUS (B. & S.) from Singapore, 6 a.m. Kowloon Wharf, 30331.
JOKUROKU (J.M.), from Hongkong, 6 a.m. A.8. 28061.

NANNING (B. & S.) from Canton, 12 a.m. B.16. 30331.
TAKSANG (J.M.) from Canton, 1 p.m. B.2.

TERUKUNI MARU (N.Y.K.) from Straits, daylight, Kowloon Wharf, 30291.
TROJA (Thoresen) from Shanghai, 8.45 a.m. 30237.

VAN HEUTZ (J.C.J.L.) from Singapore, daylight, Kowloon Wharf, 28016.
SAILED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)
JEAN LABORDE (M.M.) for Marseille, 11 a.m. Kowloon Wharf, 28051.
HANGSANG (J.M.) from Canton, 1 p.m. B.8. 30311.

KALGAN (H. & S.) for Swatow, noon, West Point, 30331.
KAIPAI (Williamson) for Port Region, 8 a.m. 27765.

KWANSANG (J.M.) for Shanghai, noon, 30311.
PROTEUS (Wing Fung Cheung) for Hothow, 6 a.m. B.16. 25611.
THOJA (Thoresen) for Port Said, 3.30 p.m. A.2. 30237.

TIKIRANG (J.C.J.L.) for Batavia, 11 a.m. midstream, 28016.
WOOLGAR (E.A.C.) for Bangkok, 4 p.m. A.3. 30206.

ARRIVING TO-DAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)
KAYING (H. & S.) from Hothow, 6 p.m. West Point, 30311.
LEPSANG (J.M.) from Shanghai, a.m. B.8. 30311.

MALAYA (E.A.C.) from Europe, a.m. Kowloon Wharf, 30331.
SHANGHAI (B. & S.) from Shanghai, a.m. West Point, 30331.

TANDA (E. & A.) from Manila, Kowloon Wharf, 27721.
YUENAN (B. & S.) from Calcutta, a.m. Kowloon Wharf, 30311.

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ANTENOR (B. & S.) for Europe, a.m. Kowloon Wharf, 30331.
MALAYA (E.A.C.) for Japan, p.m. Kowloon Wharf, 30331.

NANNING (B. & S.) for Swatow, 10 p.m. West Point, 30331.
SUOCHOW (B. & S.) for Swatow, 2 p.m. West Point, 30331.

TAKSANG (J.M.) for Shanghai, 6 p.m. West Point, 30331.
YUENAN (B. & S.) for Amoy, 5 p.m. West Point, 30331.

VAN HEUTZ (J.C.J.L.) for Swatow, 4 p.m. 28016.

However comprehensive a treatment it was valueless unless preceded by accurate diagnosis. To manipulate a tubercular spine would be fatal, though thorough-going discipline of skill should not hesitate to do so.

To the same Select Committee it was also admitted by osteopaths that there is no scientific evidence to support their claims.

There is, for instance, no X-ray evidence to show, as is claimed, that children who get measles are those who are osteopathically unsound while those who escape suffer no anatomical abnormality.

H. G. Wells, in all his "What is Osteopathy?" writes: "Osteopathy, considered as a system of medicine or as anything more than the manipulative side of surgery, is impudent balderdash."

But at the same time osteopathy does good. This is admitted by the medical profession. There are hundreds of people ready to testify to the benefits they have received at the hands of osteopaths.

BUT to go, on the strength of this, to an osteopath for any and every complaint is to ask for trouble. The osteopath who is loyal to the true osteopathic faith and manipulates for all conditions is likely to be successful in just those cases in which manipulation is valuable as he is to be unsuccessful in the others.

One point should be made clear. Osteopathy is not manipulative surgery, and Sir Herbert Barker, the world's greatest manipulative surgeon, is not an osteopath. The two

ARRIVING TO-MORROW

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)

CHIEKIANG (B. & S.) from Bangkok, a.m. West Point, 30331.
CHENGTE (B. & S.) from Swatow, a.m. West Point, 30331.

HANGSANG (J.M.) from Canton, a.m. B.8. 30311.
MANILA MARU (O.S.K.) from Japan, a.m. Kowloon Wharf, 28061.

MUINAM (B. & S.) from Singapore, a.m. West Point, 30331.
NAGATO MARU (N.Y.K.) from Japan, a.m. Kowloon Wharf, 30291.

SANWIKEN (J.M.) from Shanghai, a.m. West Point Wharf, 30311.
SHANGTUNG (B. & S.) from Swatow, daylight, West Point, 30331.

YUENAN (J.M.) from Calcutta, a.m. Kowloon Wharf.
SAILING TO-MORROW

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)

MANILA MARU (O.S.K.) for Colombo, p.m. Kowloon Wharf, 28061.
NAGATO MARU (N.Y.K.) for Calcutta, p.m. Kowloon Wharf, 30291.

SUOCHOW (B. & S.) for Shanghai, 3 p.m. West Point, 30331.
SUOCHOW (J.M.) for Canton, 4.30 a.m. B.1. 30311.

TANDA (E. & A.) for Shanghai, noon, Kowloon Wharf, 27721.

VESSELS DUE

AENEAS (B. & S.), May 25.
AGAMEMNON (B. & S.), June 6.

ANTLOCHUS (B. & S.), May 17.
HANGKOK (J.M.), May 8.
CHANGSANG (J.M.), May 8.

CHENGTE (J.M.), May 6.
CITY OF WELLINGTON (Bank), May 14.
CONTE DIANCAMANO (L. T.), May 24.

DANMARK (E.A.C.), May 16.
DEMODOCUS (B. & S.), May 17.
EMPRESS OF CANADA (C.P.S.), May 7.

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FULDA (Melcher's), May 11.
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GNEISENAU (Melcher's), May 13.
GOLDEN PRINCE (States), May 9.
HAYEL (Melcher's), May 17.

HAVELLAND (Johsen), May 9.
HINSANG (J.M.), May 14.
HOBANG (J.M.), May 15.

ISLAND (J.M.), May 10.
JALA (E.A.C.), May 19.
KUTSANG (J.M.), May 11.

MALAYA (E. & A.), May 27.
MENDIUS (B. & S.), May 9.
MENESTHEUS (B. & S.), May 9.

OPER (Melcher's), May 31.
PHILOCTETES (B. & S.), May 31.
NORVIKEN (J.M.), May 9.

PROMINENT (J.M.), May 11.
RHEINGOLD (Johsen), May 6.
RHEINLAND (Johsen), May 12.

TAI PING (Dodwell), May 17.
TIDJADAK (J.C.J.L.), May 11.
TJINAREAK (J.C.J.L.), May 10.

TYNDAREUS (B. & S.), May 8.
YATSIHING (J.M.), May 8.
ZUIDERKERK (J.C.J.L.), May 10.

ARRIVALS AND CARGOES

Over 25,000 tons of general cargo were carried by the steamers that entered port yesterday and this morning.

The ships were: KATIE MOLLER (Dodwell) Capt. J. W. Jones, with 9,000 tons of coal and 6,000 firebricks for through ports.

CALCHUS (B. & S.) Capt. W. Holden, with 700 tons general cargo for Hongkong and 10,000 tons for through ports.

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The R.M.S. Empress of Russia left Vancouver for Hongkong via Japan, Port U.S. Shanghai, on May 1. She is due here on May 20 and will leave the same evening for Manila.

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The Empress of Japan, arrived at Vancouver on May 4 and will leave for Port U.S. on May 11. She is due here on the morning of June 4 and will leave for Manila the same evening.

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doctor authors of this book do not in any way criticize him.

The lesson of the present book, which all prospective osteopathic patients should read is that, other things being equal, the wise man will go to a manipulator who is qualified to diagnose, as well as to manipulate, rather than to a healer who begins his examination with the conviction that he is going to find a strained joint or osteopathic lesion and so loses the detachment that is necessary to any form of scientific investigation.

"What is Osteopathy?" by Dr. Charles Hill and Dr. H. A. Clegg (Dent, 7a. 6d.)

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There will be one collection from the pillar-boxes and one delivery of ordinary correspondence as on Sundays and one delivery of registered correspondence at 11 a.m.

All letters bearing Coronation Stamps posted in the ordinary post-boxes at General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office only, before Midnight, Wednesday 12th, will be date-stamped May 12.

INWARD MAILS

From	Arrives	Departures
Calcutta, Straits and Saigon	Yuenan	May 5
Bangkok	Chengte	May 5
Swatow	Chengte	May 6
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Japan	Manila Maru	May 6
Japan	Nagato Maru	May 6
Japan	Tan-Amerian Airways	Plane May 6
Air Mail by "Pan-American"	San Francisco	May 6
Shanghai and Swatow	Shantung	May 6

OUTWARD MAILS

Registered and Parcel Mails are closed 15 minutes earlier than the times given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

For	Per	Date and Time
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Wed, May 5, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Taksang	Wed, May 5, 4.30 p.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Hellas	Wed, May 5, 5 p.m.
Hothow and Tourane	Tcheam	Wed, May 5, 5 p.m.
Shanghai	Tanda	Thurs, May 6, 10.30 a.m.
Air Mail for Canton and Districts	C.N.A.C. plane	Thurs, May 6, 10.30 a.m.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Thurs, May 6, Noon
	Reg.	Thurs, May 6, 12.30 p.m.
	Ord.	Thurs, May 6, 1.30 p.m.
Swatow	Soochow	Thurs, May 6, 1.30 p.m.
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Service"—due Manila Maru	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Thurs, May 6, 1.30 p.m.
Amsterdam 17th May	Reg.	Thurs, May 6, 2.30 p.m.
	Ord.	Thurs, May 6, 2.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and Manila Maru	C.N.A.C. plane	Thurs, May 6, 2.30 p.m.
South Africa	Shengwan P.O.	Thurs, May 6, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for Swatow, Amoy, Foo-chow and N. China (via Shanghai)	Reg.	Thurs, May 6, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Thurs, May 6, 7 p.m.
	G.P.O.	Thurs, May 6, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	Thurs, May 6, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Thurs, May 6, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu Pan American Airways	Pan American Airways	Thurs, May 6, 5 p.m.
and U.S.A. by "Pan American Airways direct Service"	G.P.O.	Thurs, May 6, 5 p.m.
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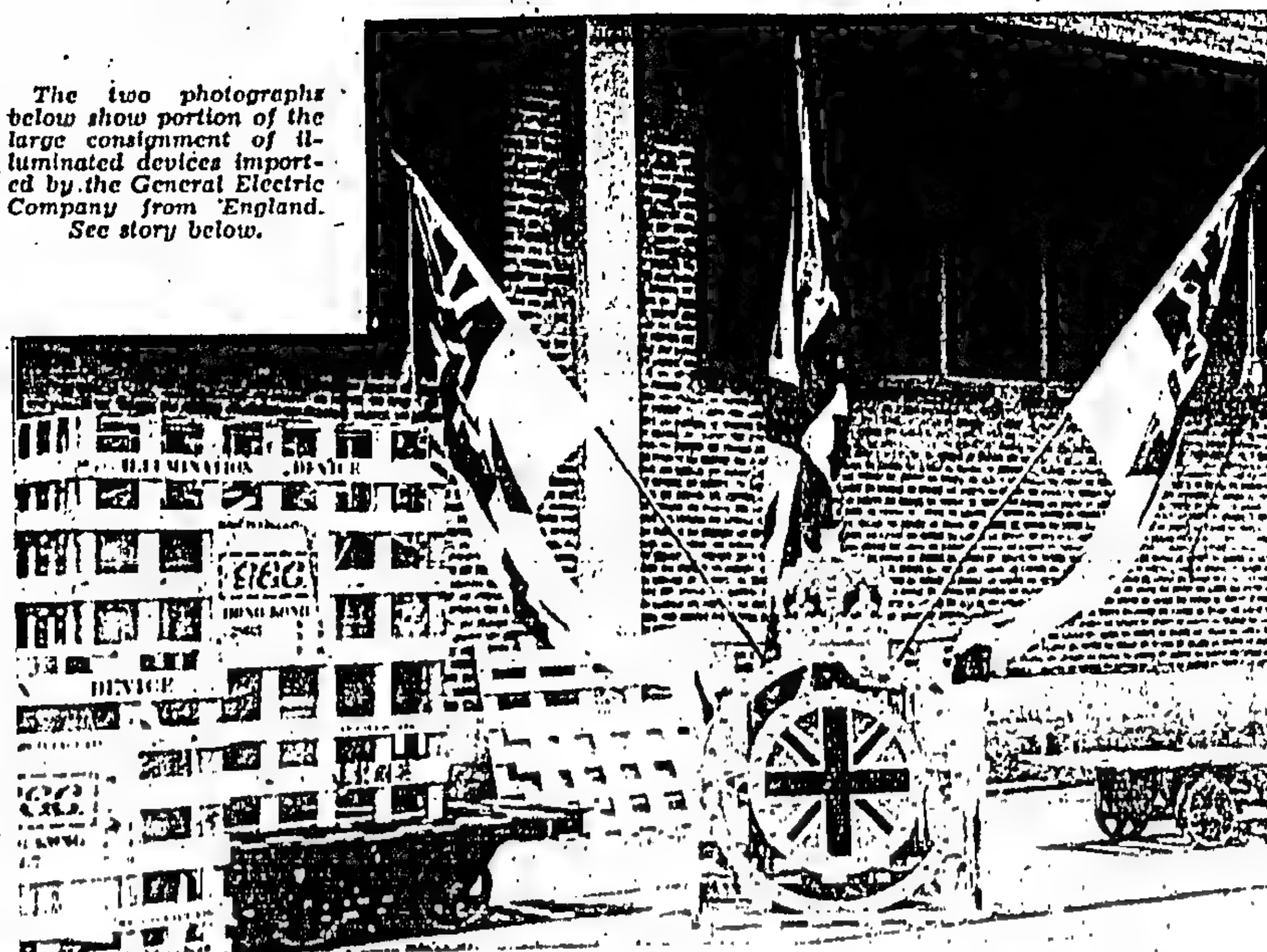
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The two photographs below show portion of the large consignment of illuminated devices imported by the General Electric Company from England. See story below.



ALMOST before it was landed in Hongkong, the General Electric Company of China Ltd., has sold practically all of its huge consignment of illuminated Coronation devices. The collection, comprising illuminated shields, flags and crowns, is an indication of the rapid advance that has been made in the art of electric illumination since the time of the Coronation of King George V in 1911.

In the 1911 Coronation gas and oil provided the chief methods of illumination. In the Coronation of 1937, electric light will almost exclusively be used.

PASSING WATCH AROUND WORLD

STRANGE GAME PLAYED BY AIRWAY SKIPPERS

A watch manufactured by a leading company in the United States is making a round-the-world trip by air on the wrist of a liner captain.

The watch travelled from the San Francisco to Manila on the wrist of Captain William Cluthe, of the China Clipper. Captain Cluthe transferred it to the wrist of Captain A. W. La Porte, of the Hongkong Clipper, who brought it to Hongkong last Wednesday. When Captain La Porte met Captain Finnigan, of the Imperial Airways plane Dolphinus, another transfer was made, and the watch travelled on the wrist of Captain Finnigan to Penang.

Captain Finnigan, who returned from Penang, in charge of the Dolphinus this morning, states that the watch is now nearing London on the wrist of another Imperial Airways pilot.

From Europe it will cross the Atlantic to the United States on the

wrist of the captain of the Zeppelin Hindenburg.

The General Electric Company is providing the illuminations for many important buildings in the Colony. Sixty-five thousand electric light-bulbs are being installed for the Hongkong Government and private firms as part of Hongkong's decorations by night.

The Hongkong Electric Company's power house at North Point, the Peninsula Hotel and the Exchange Building are being flooded, the two latter with a new type of lamp, which provides three times as much light with the amount of electrical energy previously used in flood-lighting.

These buildings will utilise a red motif for flood-lighting. Although a considerable part of its consignment of British Coronation devices has been sold, the General Electric Company is still in a position to supply devices to firms requiring illuminated decorations. In addition, the consignment includes many small illuminated crowns and other devices suitable for offices or private residences. These can be obtained for as little as \$5.

It is presumed that His Majesty's Birthday Honours will also be small, owing to the large list of Honours expected to be bestowed on Coronation Day.

King Creates New Birthday For Himself

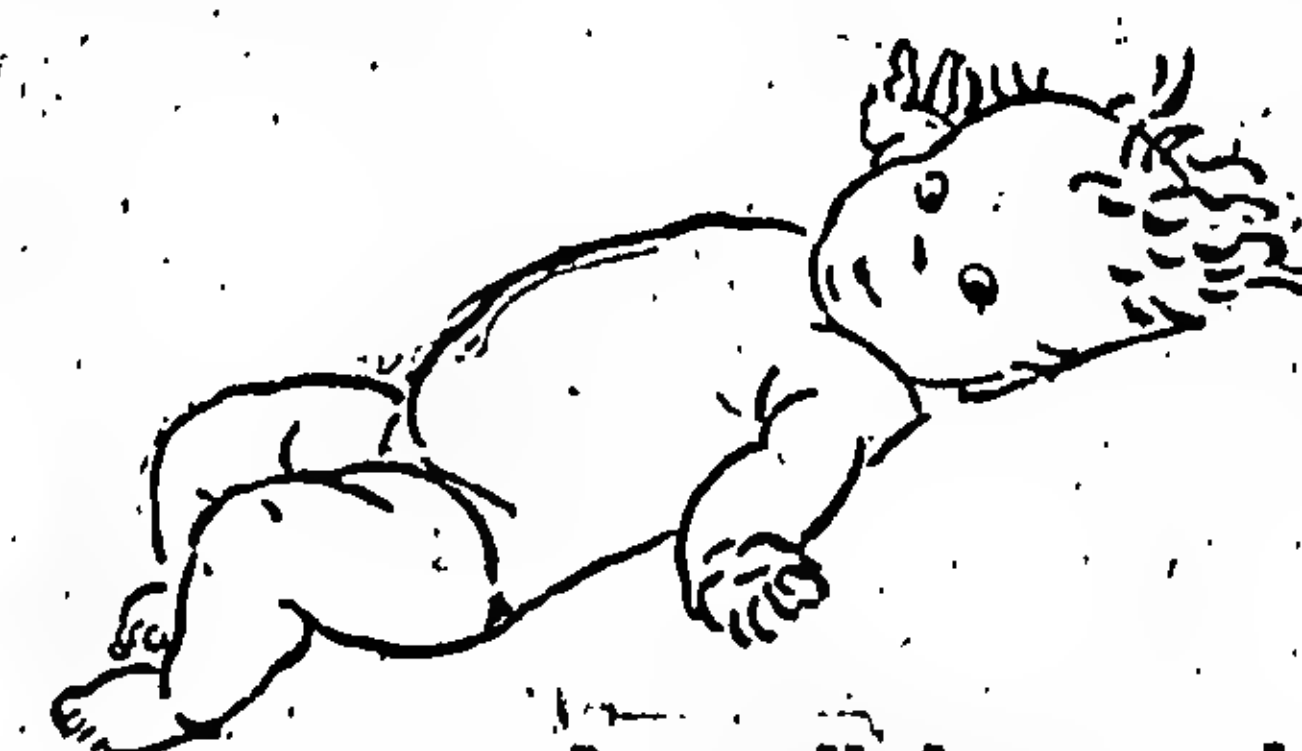
June Better Month
Than December
For Holiday

Although His Majesty the King was born on December 14, 1895, and will not be 42 years of age until the end of the year, his 42nd birthday will be celebrated in Hongkong and elsewhere in the British Empire on June 9.

The Telegraph is officially informed that June 9 has been chosen by His Majesty as the date to be observed throughout the British Empire as his birthday. Certain climatic and other conditions are understood to be the reason for this decision.

His Majesty's birthday will be celebrated not only next month, but on every June 9 of succeeding years. Owing to the proximity of the Coronation, it is not thought likely that His Majesty's birthday celebrations in Hongkong will be on a lavish scale this year. The day—a Wednesday—will be declared a public holiday, and a garden party will be held at Government House.

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Atok	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Baguio Gold	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Benquet Consolidated	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Benquet Exploration	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Big Wedge	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Coco Grove	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Consolidated Mines	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Demonstration	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
East Mindanao	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Gumaua Gold	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Hogon	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
I. X. L.	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Mabato	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Mineral Resources	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Northern Mining	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Paracale-Gumaua	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
San Maurice	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Surge	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
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SHIFTING OF INDUSTRY

The problems of the economi-
cally depressed areas in Great
Britain are not only problems of
national importance; they interest
ever wider circles. In the
sphere of economic thought, as
is illustrated by the recent pub-
lication of a survey of South
Wales by the University of
Wales, made for the Industrial
Development Council of Wales.
A special financial grant towards
the cost of this publication was
made by the Commissioner for
the Special Areas. This survey,
the second of its kind—the first
appeared six years ago—is the
outcome of fourteen months' in-
vestigation by Professor H. A.
Marquand and a staff of assist-
ants at University College, Car-
diff. It is a thorough and com-
prehensive study of the present
economic situation in South
Wales and of the prospects of
further development in that
area. The general conclusion of
the survey is that, while certain
new industries could be success-
fully launched without any
special assistance other than in-
ducements to overcome prejudice
against the area, a regional pro-
gramme of State-aid for certain
other industries should be adopt-
ed in place of the present prac-
tice of leaving the development
of the area to unco-ordinated in-
dividual enterprise. That this
is no plea for the mere charit-
able subsidising of industries,
without due regard to industrial
conditions, is made clear by an
observation in the report that
"State support, for purely sen-
timental reasons, given to in-
dustries which proved in the
long run to be unsuccessful
would be harmful rather than
beneficial." Sixteen industries
are mentioned in the report as
especially suitable for establish-
ment in South Wales, and the
question of their location is dis-
cussed from all angles, including
the natural resources of the area,
the dock and transport facilities,
and the nearness of the South
Wales ports to the Midland
counties. Transport services
are a vital factor in the success
of new enterprises, and it is
suggested that an improvement
in these services is desirable.
The report also recommends the
building of more roads and the
construction of a bridge over the
River Severn. A minor sugges-
tion for the relief of unemploy-
ment is the development of the
neglected tourist attractions of
the area, which, the report
states, are considerable. While
the main purpose of this pains-

The Next Issue with GERMANY

By
**G. Ward
PRICE**

GERMANY WANTS
HER COLONIES
BACK. With Nazi
discipline and concentration
the will-power of the nation
is being directed to that
end. Like a well-marshalled
phalanx, close on 70,000,000
minds have begun to move
towards their new objec-
tive.

From the highest to the
humblest, Germans proclaim
two main motives for their
new colonial claims:

1. Prestige: "It is intoler-
able," they say, "that small
States like Belgium, Hol-
land, and Portugal should
have great colonial empires,
while Germany has not one
square inch of overseas ter-
ritory."
2. Raw Materials: "We need
sources of supply where we
can buy these in our own
money, without first hav-
ing to acquire foreign cur-
rency for the purpose."

Suggestions that the
former German colonies
have no real economic
value only infuriate the
Germans. They say that
the intensive methods of
development they could ap-
ply there would completely
transform both their pre-
war and present-day pro-
duction.

This is the next great issue
which will have to be settled
between Germany and the other
signatories to the Treaty of Ver-
sailles.

During a recent visit to Ber-
lin I had some talks with Ger-
mans who can speak upon the
subject with great authority.

If one asks them: "What
colonies do you want?" they
bluntly answer: "All of them."

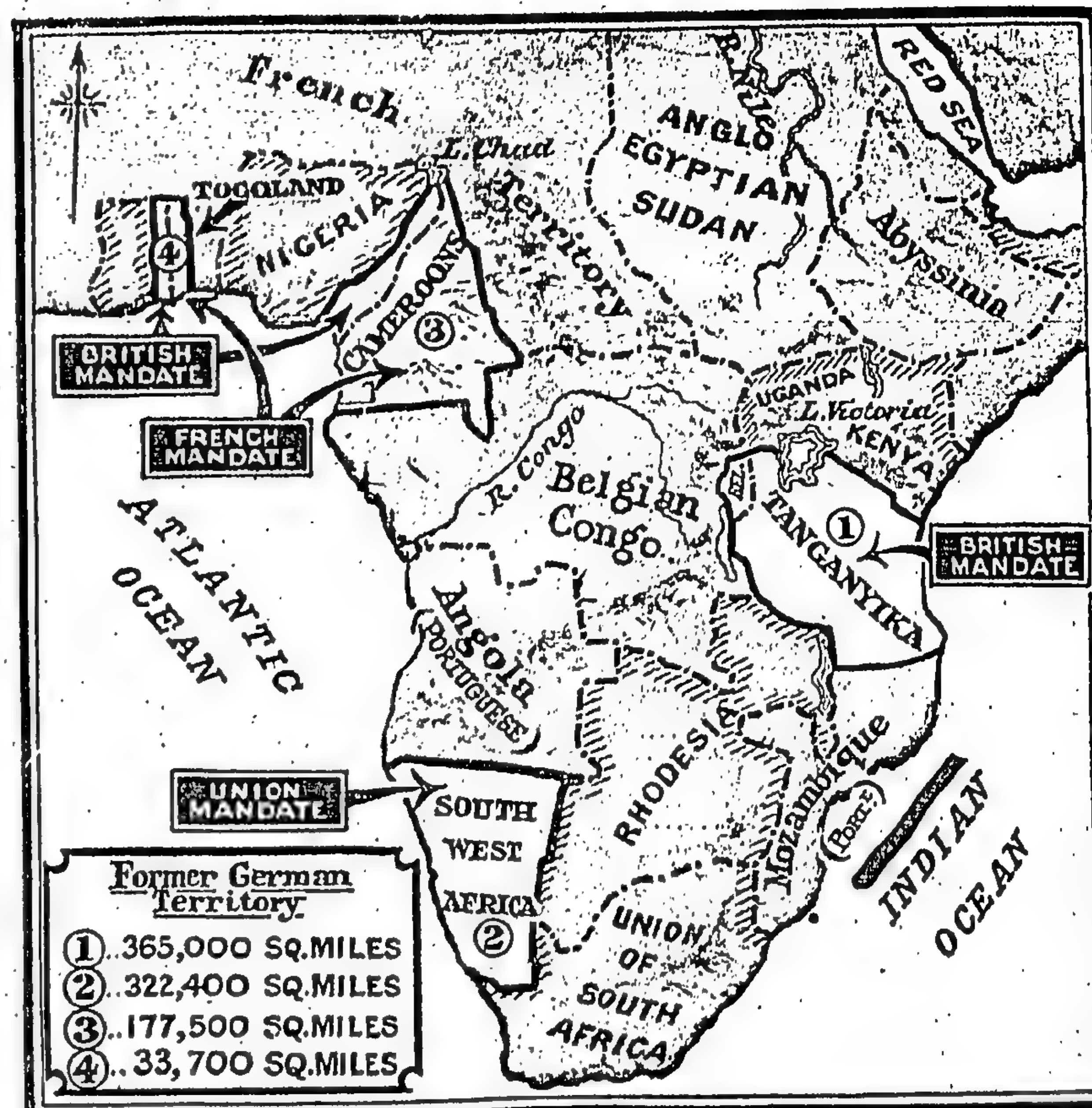
To this I made reply, as most
Englishmen would: "Then you
are asking something beyond the
British Government's power to
give. Australia, New Zealand,
South Africa, France, Belgium,
and Japan all share the man-
dates for the former German
colonies. They cannot be in-
cluded to give them up against
their will. You can hardly ex-
pect the British Cabinet to risk
the disruption of the Empire in
order to restore the German
colonies."

Full Sovereignty

"WELL," say the Germans,
"this is a matter for dis-
cussion. Some compromise might
be negotiated. But we want
the principle admitted that Ger-
many is entitled to the return
of her former colonies," which
were taken from her under the
false pretext that she was in-
capable and unworthy of ruling
them."

German leaders make it clear
that they aim at recovering full
sovereignty over their old col-
onial territories. They would not
be satisfied with the transfer to
them of the League of Nations
mandates. "Germany cannot co-

taking and notable survey is to
prepare the ground for State in-
tervention in industry in South
Wales, the work has a secondary
usefulness in that it provides
the prospective industrialist with
full and detailed information
which would be invaluable to
him in planning a new industry,
and in estimating its chances of
success.



The light areas in the map
show the former German
colonies in Africa with their
allocations under the League
mandates.

operate with the League in its
present form," they declare.

Nor do they contemplate mak-
ing this colonial question part
of some general international
settlement. To the question:
"Would you be prepared to dis-
cuss the colonies in a conference
which also dealt with a new
peace pact and with disarmament,"
they answer: "Germany
will not bargain about her na-
tional security in order to get
back her colonies. Our claim
to them is based on abstract
justice. A great nation like Ger-
many ought obviously to have
colonies. Some day she will cer-
tainly get them, one way or an-
other. The question before the
Powers that took them away
from her is whether they will
give them back, and thus secure
German co-operation, or—
Or what?"

It is here that the German
position becomes inscrutable.
The alternative appears to be
that Germany will form a new
international alliance antagonis-
tic to the Powers retaining pos-
session of her former territories
overseas.

Japan and Italy are the nations
regarded as her possible future
partners, the former because she
aims at dominance in the Far
East, and Italy because she is
credited with wanting to annex
Tunis from France and Malta
from Britain.

Remoter Menace

THERE is another, though re-
moter, menace also, which
some Germans think must weigh
with the Western Powers in
considering Germany's demands
for colonies. They say that the
Bolshevik system is a danger
beginning, and they point out
that it is against Bolshevism
alone, and not against Russia,
that Germany feels such fierce
hostility. The generals of the
Red Army have never ceased,
they declare, to be well disposed
towards the Reichswehr, while
German engineers helped Russia
to lay the foundations of her pre-
sented armaments industry.

Germany sees herself, in fact,
at the parting of the ways with
Western Europe, and especially
with Britain. "At every step
that Germany takes," say Ger-
mans whose opinions count, "we
find the British Government
standing in our path." This
they attribute to occult pro-
French and pro-Bolshevik in-
fluences in Cabinet circles, and
though they maintain that Herr
Hitler would still do anything to
achieve permanent friendship
with England, they point out
that his offer last March of a 25-
years peace pact with France,
Belgium, and Holland has met
with no response.

In some quarters, indeed, more
moderate views are expressed.
"If you had been wise," was one
influential opinion that I heard,
"you would have met our demand
for colonies with the immediate
restoration of two areas. One
of these should have been a

colony in the Pacific. That
would have brought Germany on
to Britain's side in maintaining
the status quo in the Far East.
The other might well have been
a region in Central Africa, made
up of territory ceded by all the
Powers which acquired German
colonies through the war. This
would have been a generous ges-
ture which we should have felt
obliged to accept in satisfaction
of our claims."

Oddly enough, the latter of
these suggestions was brought
forward in England by the for-
mer Ambassador to Portugal, Sir
Claude Russell, a few days after
I heard it mooted in Berlin.

Intense Campaign

It is difficult to believe that such
a transaction would completely
content German aspirations for
expansion, which are likely, if
her colonial demands are obstruc-
ted, to take the form of an in-
tense campaign for the inclusion
of Austria and the German-in-
habited northern part of Czecho-
Slovakia in the Reich.

I expect to see these alter-
native purposes pushed with in-
creasing vigour during the pre-
sent year. They will form the
new target which, under the
Nazi system, is essential as a
focus of national effort.

"Weigh well the possible con-
sequences of refusal" is the
warning with which the Germans
press their colonial case. Though
Herr Hitler's Reichstag speech
brought some relaxation to Euro-
pean tension, the stability of all-
round contentment is still far
distant.

Two Doctors Attack Osteopathy

by
**Paul
Reilly**

AT ten o'clock on June 22, 1874,
Andrew Taylor Still, 46-
year-old American jack-of-all-
trades, had a vision.

"I saw a small light in the
horizon of truth. It was put
into my hand, as I understood, by
the God of Nature." That light
bore on its face the inscription:
"This is My medical library, My
surgery, and My obstetrics."

That was the beginning of osteo-
pathy a practice that to-day claims
the standing and recognition of a
science.

Like all new cults that seek to fill
the gaps in or to supersede medical
practice, osteopathy has its devoted
followers and its bitter opponents.
But the world at large is unable
to take part in their controversies.
Lack of definition is the obstacle.

Where, at least, physical health
and, at most, life and death are at
stake it is essential that we should
know as much as possible about the
practitioners and their methods in
whom we have put our trust.

TODAY is published a small book
—not a technical treatise—with
the title, "What is Osteopathy?"
The authors are two orthodox
medical practitioners, Dr. Charles Hill
and Dr. H. A. Clegg.

They do not try to conceal on
which side of the fence they stand.
Their close association with the Brit-
ish Medical Association speaks for
itself.

But their book sets out to define
and explain—as far as possible in the
words of osteopaths themselves—this
method of healing that in recent years
has won so many adherents.

From the start they are in diffi-
culty. The early days of osteopathy
are so shrouded by the emotional and
religious exaltations of its founder
that to-day definitions, more manage-
able than portmanteaux, seem to be
arrived at only by a process of
balancing contradictions.

STILL took after his father, who had
been in turn farmer, millwright,
"doctor" and minister. He had
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CROWNING OF KING REHEARSED

His Majesty Attends At Westminster
400 Notables Also Participate

London, May 4. Their Majesties the King and Queen, quite unheralded, attended a rehearsal of the Coronation ceremony at Westminster Abbey this afternoon. King George VI, in a lounge suit and a bowler hat, and the Queen, wearing a dress and coat of palest blue, with a narrow brimmed straw hat trimmed with tiny pink roses, were received at the entrance of the Coronation annex by the Earl Marshal of England, the Duke of Norfolk.

The rehearsal lasted for over two hours and was attended by over 400 notables, including the Princess Royal and Viscountess Lascelles, the Archbishops of Canterbury and York, and five Bishops. During the rehearsal His Majesty wore the royal robes of crimson velvet and ermine over his ordinary clothes. The crowning of the King was rehearsed four times by the Archbishop of Canterbury, with assistant clergy, who went through the ceremony by placing a dummy crown on the King's bare head. The Queen's crowning was not rehearsed, as she will carry the King's train rehearsed their parts also. So did various dignitaries who will carry the royal Regalia. It is said His Majesty did not seem in the least nervous during the rehearsal, though he was solemn and serious during the actual rehearsal.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

Influx Of Chinese To Colony Seen

May Create Serious Problem Here

Hongkong may soon become the refuge of the many thousands of Chinese who are seeking to escape the severe conditions being imposed on the populace of certain parts of South China.

This view is put forward by the Editor of St. John's Review, the magazine of St. John's Cathedral. The writer points out that every schoolboy in Kwangsi is in uniform, and has to submit during his school career to a most exacting military control.

"These are the only conditions upon which a higher education can be obtained."

"The villages must provide schools and reorganise themselves, everyone must contribute his service without payment to the construction of roads, and the men must undergo in the local militia a training that will fit them for the defence of their homes."

"If this spirit spreads throughout China, as it very well may, it will have considerable effect in Hongkong. In addition to this, there is the rapid improvement in methods of transport and the consequent elimination of the vast army of carrying coolies, whose sole qualification for making a living lies in their physical strength, and who will, during the period of transition, suffer heavily and thereby increase the number of beggars."

Aquitania's Good Trip

Her Best Crossing Of Atlantic

London, May 4. The Cunard-White Star liner, Aquitania, which reached Southampton this afternoon from New York, completed the best steaming performance in her 23 years' career. She crossed the Atlantic between Ambrose Channel light vessels and Cherbourg breakwater, 3,100 nautical miles, in five days, eight hours and thirty-seven minutes, which is an average speed of 24.87 knots. Her previous best average was 24.62 knots, accomplished last year after she had been fitted with four new propellers.—*British Wireless.*

HOUSE DEBATES LIVESTOCK BILL EXPECTED TO PASS

London, May 4. For the second day in succession, the House of Commons discussed the livestock industry, on the report stage of the Bill embodying the Government's long-term policy, and making provision for a subsidy to producers of fat cattle, for regulation of imports, and for reorganisation of slaughtering and marketing. It is hoped to secure the third reading of the Bill before the House adjourns to-night.—*British Wireless.*

GREAT DISPLAY AWAITS COLONY AT CORONATION

(Continued from Page 1.)

trance. 3. The Recognition. 4. The Oath. 5. The Beginning of the Communion Service. 6. The Anointing. 7. The Presenting of the Spurs and Sword, and the Girding and Oblation of the Sword. 8. The Investing with the Arm and Royal Robe, and the Delivery of the Orb. 9. The Investiture per Annulum et Baculum. 10. The Putting-on of the Crown. 11. The Presenting of the Holy Bible. 12. The Benediction. 13. The Intronisation. 14. The Homage. 15. The Queen's Coronation. 16. The Communion. 17. Te Deum Laudamus. 18. The Recede.

8.40 p.m.—(Approx.) Their Majesties Leave Westminster Abbey.

9.15 p.m.—The head of the return procession reaches Constitution Hill.

10.10 p.m.—Their Majesties return to Buckingham Palace.

10.45 p.m.—Electrical recording of above programme.

TRANSMISSION A

(Thursday, May 13)

6.45 p.m.—"The Empire's Homage." A programme of Coronation greetings to H.M. the King from Home and Overseas. Those taking place will include the Viceroy of India, the Prime Ministers of Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Southern Rhodesia, the Governor of Bermuda; the Senior Newfoundland Member; a representative of the Burma delegation to the Coronation; anonymous speakers in Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and the Home Country, representing people in all walks of life; the Prime Minister of Great Britain.

7.25 p.m.—H.M. MAJESTY THE KING. The above programmes will be relayed through ZBW and other Far Eastern stations. The original broadcasts will be made from Davenby through the following stations: GSII 13.97 metres, 21,470 k.c.; GSG 16.68 " 17,700 " GSF 10.82 " 15,140 " and two other transmitters.

SCOUTS AND GUIDES

A feature of the Coronation Celebration will be a Rally of Boy Scouts and Girl Guides of the Colony at the Hongkong Football Ground, Happy Valley, from 3 p.m. till 6 p.m. on the afternoon of Friday, May 14.

For the past two months the Sub-Committee dealing with this Section of the Colony's Celebrations, under the guidance of the Commissioners for the two Movements, has been busily engaged in arranging numerous details. The officers in charge of the various Scout Troops and Guide Companies have been assiduously training the Scouts and Guides for the many activities in which they will take part. Their efforts should provide a thoroughly entertaining programme for the public on the Friday afternoon of Coronation week. The Hongkong Football Club has kindly lent their ground at Happy Valley for the occasion. The ground is easy of access both by tram and bus, and provides ample seating accommodation.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, who is assisting as Chief Scout for the Colony, has signified his intention to be present, and at the conclusion of the Rally will hand the "Prince of Wales Banners" to the winning Troop and Company for the past year. The programme of displays is a varied one. Music will be provided by the band of the Royal Ulster Rifles (by kind permission of Lieut. Colonel R. M. Rodwell and Officers) under Bandmaster H. A. Hole, A.R.C.M., who is arranging a special Coronation programme for the occasion.

THE PAGEANT

The Pageant which introduces the Displays depicts the inception and growth of the Boy Scout and Girl Guide Movements in England and their expansion throughout the Empire and many other Countries. Each section of the Movement and each Colony or Country will be represented by a tableau of from 20 to 50 Scouts and Guides in costume. The whole Pageant will engage 400 performers.

This Pageant will be followed by four simultaneous displays of National Sports and pastimes for Scotland, England, the United States of America, China. These will, in turn, be followed by eight Displays of various Scouting and Guiding activities ranging from Bridge Building to Chinese Boxing.

Later the younger members of the two Movements will take a turn. Three hundred Wolf Cubs and Brownies will occupy the arena for 15 minutes. They will be followed by 200 Scouts in a combined Physical Training Display. The programme concludes with a massed Rally in which formation of all the performers.

The prices for admission are: Covered Stand (adults) \$1.00. Covered Stand (children) 50 cts. Uncovered Stands (adults) 20 cts. Uncovered Stands (children) 10 cts. The programme has involved considerable expenditure both by the Boy Scouts and the Girl Guides. The promoters of the Rally appeal to the public for generous attendance and support, not only for financial considerations, but also to foster interest in the two Movements among all sections of the Community.

MESSAGE FOR FILIPINOS

San Francisco, May 4. Mr. Carlos Romulo, Manila newspaper magnate, is leaving for Manila by a trans-Pacific Clipper to-morrow and is carrying an important message from President Manuel Quezon to his people. He would not reveal its contents.—*United Press.*

BROOK'S MACHINE DAMAGED

Surprise Landing On Boggy Rome Field
Record Is Still Within Reach

Rome, May 4. H. L. Brook, attempting a record-breaking flight from Capri to London, met with further misfortune to-day. He made an unexpected landing here this evening, his plane running into rain-soaked ground and breaking a flap.

Brook told Reuter that the airport authorities had promised to repair his machine in time for him to take off at 5 a.m. to-morrow morning.

The airman, who was thoroughly exhausted after flying from Capri to Rome in the morning, remarked that he was still well ahead of Miss Amy Molison's record.

Brook was to have created a new record on his outboard flight to the Cape from London, but was forced down in Africa, at Bar, 100 miles north of Johannesburg. This mishap spoiled his chances for a two-way record, but on his present flight, if repairs can be effected in time, he has an excellent chance of beating previous times for the long jaunt.—*Reuter.*

Partitioning Of Palestine Unacceptable

Jerusalem, May 4. The High Arab Committee to-day issued a statement completely dissociating itself from the rumours with regard to the partitioning of Palestine. It declared that the Arabs did not waver from their insistence on the fulfilment of their demands, presented to the Royal Commission investigating the Palestine troubles. A partition of the country between Arabs and Jews would not be tolerated. It was stated.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

RABIES DANGER PRECAUTIONS

SEVERAL DOG-OWNERS FINED

Several residents were summoned before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning for allowing their dogs to wander abroad without muzzles, and keeping the animals without licences.

D. R. Ryde, of No. 528 The Peak, was fined \$5, dog abroad without a muzzle or lead, and keeping the dog without a licence on April 10. Acting Sub-Inspector F. J. Clarke said the house-boy took the dog out for a walk on a lead, but took the lead off and allowed the dog to run free, when it was seen by a constable. S. Simpson, of No. 4 Salwan Terrace, was summoned for allowing his dog to be abroad without a muzzle on April 21. He admitted the offence, and was fined \$10. Traffic-Sergeant Morrison said the dog bit the foot of a cook in a neighbouring house, but the animal had been inoculated against rabies, enquiries showed.

A fine of \$5 was imposed on Miss M. Drury, of the Matilda Hospital, for allowing her animal to be out in Mount Kellet Road without a muzzle on April 21. She did not appear in Court, but sent a letter admitting the offence.

A similar fine was imposed on Tokuzurb Tochi, of No. 125 Gloucester Road, ground floor, on a summons for keeping a dog without a licence on April 21. Det. Sgt. Allan prosecuted.

RADIO LICENCE SUMMONSES

SEVERAL HEARD IN COURT

Several summonses in regard to wireless licences were heard before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning. K. Lam, of No. 19, Tsing Fung Street, ground floor, was fined \$10 for having no licence, while Lam Wal, of No. 54, Wanchai Road, second floor, was fined \$20 for not having an appropriate licence.

A summons against Chong King-sau, of No. 129, Johnston Road, second floor, was adjourned until to-morrow at 12.30 p.m., as defendant failed to appear.

Another case against Ling Kwong-yau was adjourned for two weeks, the address of the summons reading No. 107 instead of No. 176 Jade Road.

Mr. Key, Inspector of Wireless, prosecuted in all cases.

GOLD RUSH STARTS

Seward, Alaska, May 4. Gold fever has followed the reports that two prospectors have panned 40 ounces of gold in Stetson Creek in a fortnight.—*United Press.*

VESSELS LOADING REFUGEES

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evacuation, although it is not assisting.

The French Labour Confederation is financing the cost of 2,300 refugee children, and the British Labour Unions have agreed to care for another 4,000.

The naval squadron protecting the refugee ships includes the British battleship Royal Oak, the cruiser Shropshire, three of His Majesty's destroyers and the French destroyer Terrible.—*United Press.*

EFFORT TO PREVENT BOMBING OF TOWNS

London, May 4. Measures to prevent the bombing of open towns in Spain were suggested by Great Britain at to-day's meeting of the Non-Intervention Committee's sub-committee which deals with such matters. All the delegates concurred with the British suggestion that an appeal be addressed to both sides in the Spanish conflict. In fact, it was felt that an appeal might be made on a wider basis and the combatants asked to undertake to conduct future operations with the utmost regard for humanitarian considerations. The next committee meeting the delegates will consider the best method of appeal.—*Reuter.*

EAGER EYES ON DUKES ROMANCE

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It is believed to be seeking to prevent the further distribution of "Coronation Commentary," a book which tells the story of the abdication and what the Coronation means to British people. The author, Dennis, was outside the judge's chambers and when asked for his views on the situation replied: "Unfortunately I must not say a word, although there is a lot I should like to say."—*United Press.*

MR. SIMPSON TO WED?

London, May 4. Mrs. Jacques Raffray, a school chum of Mrs. Wallis Simpson's, to-day denied reports that she intended to marry Mr. Ernest Simpson, recently divorced by his wife. "I have no definite plans," she said, "and have not yet decided when I am returning to America." It is noteworthy that Mr. Simpson was the only person to greet Mrs. Raffray when she arrived here in November last.—*United Press.*

MALAY LADY'S DEATH

LOSS TO HONGKONG COMMUNITY

The Malay community in Hongkong suffered a distinct loss this morning when Hajj Kallia Wahab, wife of Hajj Kachung Wahab, passed away at her residence, 451 Lockhart Road, at 11.30 a.m.

Well-known and respected in her community, Hajj Kallia, accompanied by her husband, Hajj Wahab, and the Hajis Hazarin, went on a pilgrimage to Mecca in 1935. She was 60 years of age. She leaves a husband, four sons (among them B. A. M. and M. A. Wahab) and several daughters, with whom much sympathy will be felt.

The funeral will take place at the Mohammedan Cemetery at 5.30 p.m. to-day.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

WE LIVE IN DEEDS, NOT WORDS: IN THOUGHTS, NOT BREATH.—P. J. Bailey.

Accidentally upsetting a pot of boiling water over himself, Wong Pok-jum, living at No. 70 Luchikok Road, received severe scalds yesterday and was sent to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

The first casualty among the participants in the Coronation preparations occurred yesterday, when a 53-year-old man, Au Ng, collapsed while carrying one of the effigies in West Point. He was rushed to the Government Civil Hospital, where efforts were made to revive him, but Au succumbed at 5 p.m.

A fine of \$200, or three months' hard labour in default, was inflicted on Lui Lai-kuen, a woman, when she admitted a charge of possession of 10 tins of raw opium at the Yau-mat Ferry Wharf, before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning. Inspector A. V. Baker said the woman was searched casually yesterday, and the opium was discovered.

Admitting a charge of possession of 80 catties of fresh tree wood (Tregunter) Path near May Road yesterday, Tsang Hong, aged 34, unemployed, was fined \$250, or three months' hard labour in default, before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning. Inspector A. V. Baker produced a previous conviction against defendant for a similar offence.

Described as a particularly mean type of thief, Ng Wal, 28, unemployed, was fined \$30, or one month, when he appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning on a charge of larceny of a flower pot and plant and a flower vase from a grave at the Colonial Cemetery on May 5. Inspector Logan said defendant was seen in Tai Yuen Street by a district watchman carrying the pot and flowers. Defendant said that he had been in Hongkong less than a week.

RADIO BROADCAST

Cricket Miscellany—"Willow The King"
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Broadcast by Z.B.W. on wave-lengths of 355 metres (845 k.c.), 31.49 metres (9.52 m.c.s.).
4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.
7-11 p.m. European Programme.
7 p.m. The London Piano-Accordion Band.

An old Hawaiian Guit. On the Bench at Ball-Ball. Where the Mountains meet the Sea. Mald of Brazil. There'll never be another you. Happy, I'm happy. Wine Song. The white cliffs of Dover. Log Cabin lullaby.
7.30 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 p.m. Favourites of not-so-long-ago.

Organ Solos—Famous Tauber Melodies—Harold Ramsay; Vocal Duet—What's good for the Goose is good for the Gander... Sam Browne and Girl Friend; Vocal Solo—Check to check... Ginger Rogers; Instrumental—A Bouquet for Cole Porter mental—Arthur Young (piano) and the Youngsters; Vocal Solos—Lover of my Dreams... Noel Coward; Mad Dogs and Englishmen... Noel Coward.
8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. A Recital by Alexander Kipnis (Bass).

"The Brahms Song Society"—(a) Ein Sonett, Op. 14; No. 4; (b) Sonnettag, Op. 41, No. 5; (c) Vier Gesänge, Op. 121; No. 2;—Ich wandle mich und sage No. 4.—Wenn ich mit Menschen; Erinnerung, Op. 63, No. 2.

8.20 p.m. A Recital for Two Pianos by Vronsky and Babin.

Suite No. 2 for Two Pianos, Op. 17 (Rachmaninoff); No. 1—Introduction, No. 2—Valse, No. 3—Romance, No. 4—Tarentelle; Waltz from Suite for Two Pianos, Op. 15 (Arensky).

8.45 p.m. London—"Willow The King." A cricket miscellany with echoes from the Village Green, the County Ground and even from Elysian Fields. Written and arranged for broadcasting by Herbert Farjeon. Produced by John Pudney.
9.30 p.m. London—News and Announcements.

9.55 p.m. Orquesta Tipica Francisco Canaro.

Madrecita de Pampoya—Tango con canto; Mi Musa Campesina—Tango con canto; Churrasca—Tango con canto; Mi Buenos Aires Querido—Tango; The Tango of the "Mull"—Tango con canto; A Garden of Illusion—Waltz con canto.

10.15 p.m. London—Big Ben. Dance Music.

Fox Trot—Someone to care for me; Fox Trot—Harbour Lights; Fox Trot—Star Dust; Fox Trot—Swingtime; Fox Trot—Golden Heart; Fox Trot—The courtesy of love; Fox Trot—Boston Tea Party; Fox Trot—It ain't right; Slow Fox Trot—Sorrow; Slow Fox Trot—Love Cries; Fox Trot—The Girl in the garden; Fox Trot—Afterglow; Fox Trot—It ain't no use; Waltz—Delyse.
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Club And Government Approve Of Ideal Position

RUGGER REFEREES IGNORE THE RULES.

GLARING CASES

(By J. P. Jordan)

It was to me astounding, to put it mildly, that hard upon the International Board's publicly expressed dissatisfaction with referees in international Rugby matches the last international of the season should afford a glaring instance of how the board is ignored.

The board recently sent a letter to each referee on the international panel informing him that it was his duty to referee international matches in full accordance with the laws of the game.

I have been unofficially told that what the board had particularly in mind was the non-observance by referees of the law which governs foul play, misconduct, and persistent infringement.

Under this law the referee may order a player off and must caution him the first time he is guilty of foul play or misconduct, and he must—this is printed in bold type in the law—order him off if he offends a second time.

Yet at Belfast when unhappy incidents occurred the referee merely stopped the game and warned the players.

STRANGE IMMUNITY
Had these incidents occurred in a club match someone would have received marching orders, but apparently offenders are immune in international matches.

Many times I have heard it said that the first referee who puts the full penalty into force in an international would deserve the Order of Merit. We had a case some years ago in which a Dominion player was concerned, but never in a match between the Home Unions has a player been sent off the field.

Yet everyone knows that such a penalty has been called for not so much because of fighting but because of persistent infringements, which leave the referee with no option but to order off—if he carries out his duties.

Fists are used when tempers are frayed, very often because the players are continually pulled for an infringement that is not reckoned as such in their own country.

WHY NOT CONFERENCES
This is due to the different interpretation of the laws which defy any construction being put on them. There is in one law a sentence that runs to over 100 words!

It is perhaps too much to expect all the 36 laws to be again revised. The last time it was done it took several enthusiastic officials many months of hard work. But why not do the next best thing and hold periodic conferences of referees from the four unions, presided over by one of the law-makers, a member of the International Board?

The eve of an international match would be an ideal date. If the question of expense to the unions is urged against the idea, I would remark that whatever the cost it would be worth.

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Perry Plays Vines At Wombloy, May 25

The dates of the lawn tennis matches, in which E. J. Perry, E. Vines, W. T. Tilden, and M. Plaa will take part at Wembley, have been revised on account of a clash with a Speedway Test match. The new dates of the tennis event are May 25, 26, and 29.

COUNTY CRICKET RESULTS

Big Defeat For Kent

London, May 4.
Glamorgan started the county cricket programme with a splendid victory over Kent. They beat the hop county by an innings and 152 runs, outplaying their opponents from the start.

Derbyshire the champions had to rest content with first innings points against Lancashire after making the Lancastrians follow-on. Paynter played a fine innings of 150 in Lancashire's second innings, and so saved the game.

Yorkshire suffered an unexpected defeat, losing to the M.C.C. by 25 runs in an exciting finish.

M.C.C. scored 303 and then declared at 267 for 7. Yorkshire replied with 210 and 380, Hutton batting magnificently for his 101.

The results in detail were as follows:

COUNTY CHAMPIONS
Derbyshire (427. Pollard 6 for 76) beat Lancashire (258. Mitchell 6 for 73) and 341-6 (Paynter 150) on first innings.
Glamorgan beat Kent by an innings and 152.
Glamorgan, 451 (Dyson 104, Davies 118).
Kent, 152 (Jones 5-38) and 147 (Mercer 4-59).
Sussex beat Worcester by eight wickets.
Worcester 229 and 207 (James Langridge 6-30).
Sussex 349 (J. Parks 104, Cook 106) and 88-2.

OTHER MATCHES
Oxford beat Gloucester by eight wickets.
Gloucester 224 (Darwall-Smith 7-44) and 190.
Oxford 384 (Barton 192) and 32-2.

M.C.C. (339 and 267-7 dec.) beat Yorkshire (210 and 380. Hutton 101) by 25 runs.—Reuter.

REMOVAL MAY BE SOON

First Details

(By Our Special Representative)

Definite proposals for removing the Kowloon Golf Club from its present headquarters to new ground in the vicinity of Hebe Hill have been approved in principle by both the Club and the Hongkong Government.

It is believed that the military authorities will raise no objections to the proposed move, and will allow members of the Golf Club to use the new military road over Customs Pass.

Government, it is understood, may partly finance the removal of the Club from the Army Range, but the Club will probably be required to re-erect its own Club House.

It is stated that Government's assistance may take the form of reclaiming part of the land required by the Club.

IDEAL SITE

In return for this financial assistance, however, it is possible that Government may require the Kowloon Golf Club to give an undertaking that it will give a beautiful view of the surrounding country, and is one of the prettiest spots in the Colony.

The site chosen by the Kowloon Golf Club, and approved by Government, is ideal from the point of view of golf. It gives a beautiful view of the surrounding country, and is one of the prettiest spots in the Colony.

Decision of the Kowloon Golf Club to remove from the Army Range may be hastened by the fact that the Military authorities will probably soon require exclusive use of the ranges for at least five days a week.

It is extremely probable, in fact, that the Hongkong Rifle Association will have to abandon its mid-week shoots in order to allow the Army to have free use of the ranges. In this case, it is probable that the Hongkong Rifle Association will be allowed full use of the ranges on Saturday afternoons and Sundays.

Under the new training methods, instituted recently by the War Office, the four battalions at present stationed in Hongkong will be required to fire something like 1,200,000 rounds of ammunition per annum as part of their training.

The new training methods for the British army provide for an amazing liberal use of ammunition. In the future, each soldier will fire some 355 rounds of ammunition in each season. Assuming that a battalion totals 850 men, it will be seen that future army shooting in Hongkong will necessitate the issue of much more than a million rounds of ammunition per annum. This quantity will naturally be increased by 50 per cent when the two new battalions are stationed here.

In order to fire this extra ammunition it will become necessary for the Army to utilise the Kowloon Army Range for the entire week, excluding Saturday afternoons and Sundays. The week-ends, presumably, will be given over to the Rifle Association.

As the new small arms training methods may be brought into force in the very near future Government may hasten work in resuming the land required by the Kowloon Golf Club for its new course.

L.T.A. BAN ON PERRY-VINES

GROUND'S CLOSED TO THE PLAYERS

(By JOHN MACADAM)

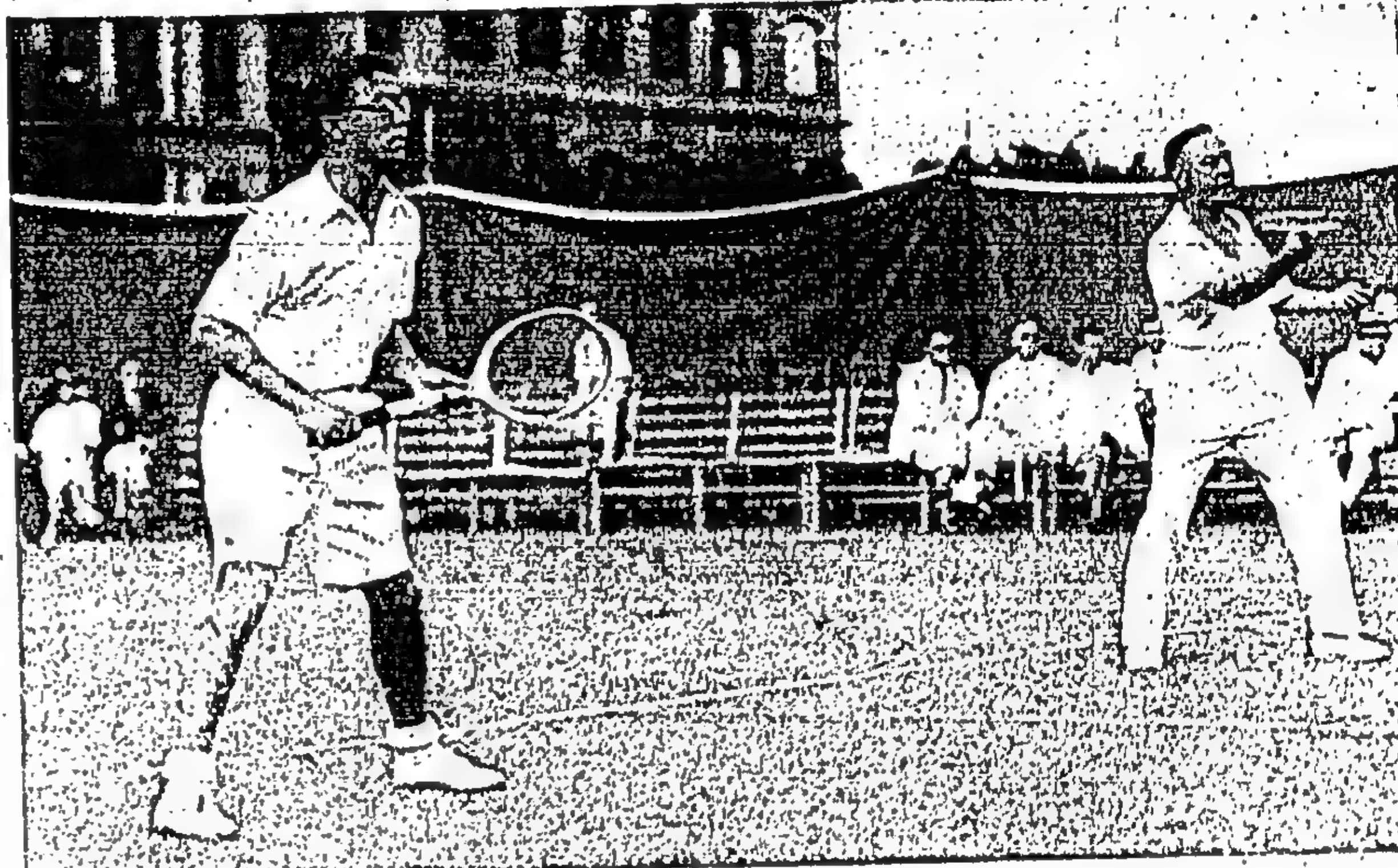
The Lawn Tennis Association is again busy on its well-known act of burying its head in the ground.

It intends to ban Perry-Vines matches on any of its affiliated courts. The matter was raised by one of the biggest clubs in the Midlands, which wrote to the L.T.A. asking permission to stage a Perry-Vines exhibition. They claim to have almost a Centre Court crowd. The money would have been useful.

Permission has not yet been actually refused, but I am told that although the council will discuss the application at its next meeting the Noes will have it.

Now, did you ever hear of such ostrichism?
It means that club members and public will be forced away from the clubs into the professional temples to watch these matches. If the L.T.A. wants to down professionalism, then this step is just one in the wrong direction. Whatever happens, players will go to see Perry and Vines. Why, for Pete's sake, not let them see the matches in their own courts?

FINCHER VOLLEYS, WHILE HUNG WAITS DURING YESTERDAY'S CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL



Tennis Championship Final Described By "Veritas"

Hung Plays Brilliantly, But Rumjahn Cousins Could Not Be Stopped

MATCH PRODUCES COLOURFUL AND DRAMATIC RALLIES

S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn beat E. C. Fincher and W. C. Hung 10-8, 5-7, 6-2, 6-4.

TO describe the final of the 1937 open doubles tennis championship of the Colony is but a repetition of a twelve year-old story. Fincher and Hung, playing good, sometimes brilliant, tennis, were beaten by the Rumjahn cousins, who proved that it was just as impossible as ever to get past them.

Yesterday's match on the stand court was a delightful exhibition. I imagine everybody was surprised by Hung, who rose to unprecedented heights of brilliance. It was as surely the finest display I have ever seen him give. Accurate, skilful, always possessing the right shot to win the most vital points, simply could not be overcome.

In two successive sets Fincher and Hung had them at their mercy. They had two games points for a 5-1 lead in the first set (on H. D. Rumjahn's service), but they were lost. It is a simple fact that had they been capable of accepting opportunities, Fincher and Hung would have won in straight sets.

But at these vital points either the losers served poorly, or made careless returns, or else the Cousins whipped over their most daring volleys and drives, or even, as in one instance, a fortunate netcord shot came to their aid. No matter what the cause, the effect was to leave the champions with a sporting chance of recovering lost ground, and they needed no second invitation to accomplish this.

COLOURFUL AND DRAMATIC

It is open to opinion whether any Colony championship match has produced better or more exciting rallies than in those first two sets. The whole match was full of colourful and dramatic exchanges. Not for a long time has such spectacular volleying been seen. Hung's sharply angled cross-court volleys were superb. They constantly beat S. A. Rumjahn who anticipated down-the-middle shots.

I couldn't help thinking that had Fincher displayed a little more incisiveness in his volleying and smashing a different result would have been recorded. Fincher was steady for long periods, but he did not possess enough snap in his foreplay, and allowed the champions to recover when they should have been beaten outright.

Hung's methods were better. He either scored his point with an unreturnable volley or smash, or he found the net. Fincher preferred safety tactics, and in this I think he made a definite mistake.

The cousins were always fighting hard. Actually they should have lost the first set. What is more Fincher and Hung should have won the second at 6-2 instead of which the winners regained lost ground and forced the issue to the twelfth game. Incidentally in that twelfth game

Hung surpassed himself, driving, volleying and smashing with wonderful severity and accuracy.

WHY THEY WON

The cousins won because as a combination they were a little more assertive than the losers, and because when it came to a show-down, they possessed more powerful finishing shots. At intervals they were forced to play second-fiddle, but at the vital stages of the match, nobody could question their superiority.

Sirdar served badly throughout the match, yet his forehand driving was accurate, and he rarely failed to score overhead. Sometimes he was out-volleyed, but even in this phase of the game he maintained a balance in his favour.

H. D. Rumjahn was ever ready to, and capable of, stepping in to score with his immaculate drive or his punching volley. There were times when he appeared to be a trifle bewildered by the speed of the close-quarter rallies, but in the slower exchanges there was no more effective player on the court.

It was bright, attractive, tennis from the opening service to the final point. The main of the match was Hung because he not only accepted the opposition's challenge to volleying rallies, but was able enough to turn a large number of them to account. He suffered his bad patches, but they faded into insignificance against his inspired moments when he dominated the court. He has never played a better game.

He and Fincher were just as good losers as the Rumjahn cousins were winners. A little bit of luck at the right time, and a little more accuracy in the vital stages of the first three sets would have made a heap of difference to the result.

But this was only another lesson to those who would challenge the supremacy of the cousins. To beat them you must play 100 per cent well throughout the match. Give them the slightest opportunity to recover and any pair is as good as beaten. It has happened year after year, and presumably it will continue until we discover a couple like the Tsui brothers, who beat the cousins sustaining a well planned attack.

Ice Professionals Threaten Revolt

By George Graham.

The formation of a professional skaters' union in Britain, as well as an international union, is being widely discussed following the implied boycott of the open professional ice-skating championships.

Professional skaters are not prepared to support a championship sponsored by the National Skating Association, which controls amateur skating in Britain. They want a

WIMBLEDON OFFER IS REJECTED

Australian Cup Team May Not Play

The Australian L.T.A. has rejected an offer of £200 from the All-England L.T.A. for the appearance of their four Davis Cup players, J. H. Crawford, A. K. Quist, V. B. McGrath, and J. Bromwich, in the Wimbledon championships, states Reuter. The Australian L.T.A. is understood to be asking for £750. This was the sum paid for the Australian team's appearance in 1934, but in the last two years only £125 had been paid to the Association in respect of each player.

PONIES CLASSIFIED

The Hongkong Jockey Club has just announced the following alterations and additions to the classification lists dated March 10:
Australian Ponies.—Dick Turpin to B Class, Llanarnon to B Class, Llangollen to B Class.

China Ponies.—Laughing Buddha to C Class, Sadao to C Class, Flyby-night to D Class, Shanghai 4 to D Class, Tabby Cat to D Class, Victory Life to D Class, Racing Strain to E Class.

SUMMER GOLF

The following sixteen players qualified for the Competition proper over match play of the Kowloon Golf Club Summer Cup; the draw for the first round (to be played by May 10) being:

R. K. Collings	v.	A. A. Lopes
T. D. Paton	v.	J. McKelvie
J. R. Leitch	v.	W. Stoker
W. Kershaw	v.	A. W. de Rosa
W. Taylor	v.	F. E. Lawrence
F. C. Barry	v.	D. J. N. Anderson
A. J. Dennis	v.	W. C. Simpson
E. W. Gardner	v.	E. C. Fincher

Ice Professionals Threaten Revolt

Mr. Howard Nicholson, famous American skater attached to a London rink, said to me:

"On the last occasion I competed in the championship I was judged by a pupil of my own, who happens to be on the panel of N.S.A. judges. This should never be allowed." Mr. Nicholson held the men's title for three years up to 1935.

FINE BOXING

IN FINALS OF ARMY TOURNEY

(By "Ringsider")

Last night's finals in the Army individual boxing championships provided some of the most attractive scrapping seen in Hongkong for a long time. The crowd thoroughly enjoyed the enthusiastic milling of the contestants, and quite a number of the fights produced some exceptionally clever boxing.

Below will be found a description of two of the best bouts of the evening.

HEAVY-WEIGHT

L/Sgt. Matheson (Seafarths) beat Fus. Frimston (R.W.F.). This was undoubtedly a surprise for everyone who had seen Frimston defeat Lieut. Going in the Inter-Unit Championships. Matheson boxed like a mule to overcome his opponent. Frimston was a decided favourite at the start but before the end of the first round the issue was not so sure. Matheson displayed perfect defence which nullified any attack. Try as he did, Frimston could not reach the vital point.

The second round was a repitition of the first. Noted for his ability for winning fights in this round, Frimston exerted himself and strained every muscle for a telling blow. It could not pass a defence which was like "Gibraltar."

This final round made the encounter the "fight of the night." Early in the round Frimston connected with his disastrous right. Matheson went down and stayed there for one or two seconds. He arose slightly dazed and turned to meet the oncoming tornado. Undaunted and still able to think fast, Matheson countered the onslaught with an extremely hard right swing. In view of his condition one was inclined to think it was lucky that the subsequent blows dispelled any such ideas. Frimston, though having the advantage at this stage, was completely disorganised and forced to give way to the dogmatic and hard-hitting Matheson. He could not venture to close quarters with any confidence.

From what seemed the end, Matheson fought back to win a glorious bout. Full tribute cannot be paid to Matheson's glorious recovery, dragging the fight from defeat to victory.

WELTER-WEIGHT

L/Cpl. McCutcheon (R.U.R.) beat Fus. Davies (R.W.F.). Davies who put up such a good showing in the inter-unit championships was rather disappointing though it must be said that he was opposed to a boxer who used his brains as well as his fists. Davies was attacking from the bell and landed more body blows, scoring points over McCutcheon. The final blow of the first round, the best of the evening, did much to recover for McCutcheon any points he might have lost. A rapid one-two. A right front with a swift following left hook to the jaw caught Davies napping.

It was in the second round that the winner's anticipation was so good. His footwork and smart ducking of Davies' blows often wild in the extreme. Darting inside the blow or swiftly moving away, McCutcheon was never once within reach of its full force. McCutcheon's victory is all the more meritorious in view of Davies' great improvement on last year's form.

In the third round, Davies was twice warned about holding. Once when forced into a corner McCutcheon connected with a glorious left swing. He followed it up with another but with not enough force to K.O. the redoubtable Davies, who like a panther was extremely difficult to hit properly.

The results in detail were:

BANTAMWEIGHT (SEMI-FINALS)

Pte. Black (Seafarths) beat Pte. Hughes (R.U.R.) on points. Fus. Jenkins (R.W.F.) beat Fus. Hoosan (R.W.F.) on points.
Final—Fus. Jenkins beat Pte. Black on points.

FLYWEIGHT

Pte. Wilde (Seafarths) beat Pte. Graham (R.U.R.) on points.

FEATHERWEIGHT

Fus. Owen (R.W.F.) beat Pte. Green (Seafarths) on points.
LIGHTWEIGHT
Pte. Melay (R.U.R.) beat Fus. Ross (R.W.F.) on points.

WELTERWEIGHT

L/Cpl. McCutcheon (R.U.R.) beat Fus. Davies (R.W.F.) on points.
MIDDLEWEIGHT
Cpl. Weaver (R.W.F.) beat Cpl. Butterfield (R.A.O.C.) by a K.O.

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT

Cpl. Henderson (R.U.R.) beat Fus. Powell (R.W.F.) by a K.O.
HEAVYWEIGHT
L/Sgt. Matheson (Seafarths) beat L/Sgt. Frimston (R.W.F.) on points.

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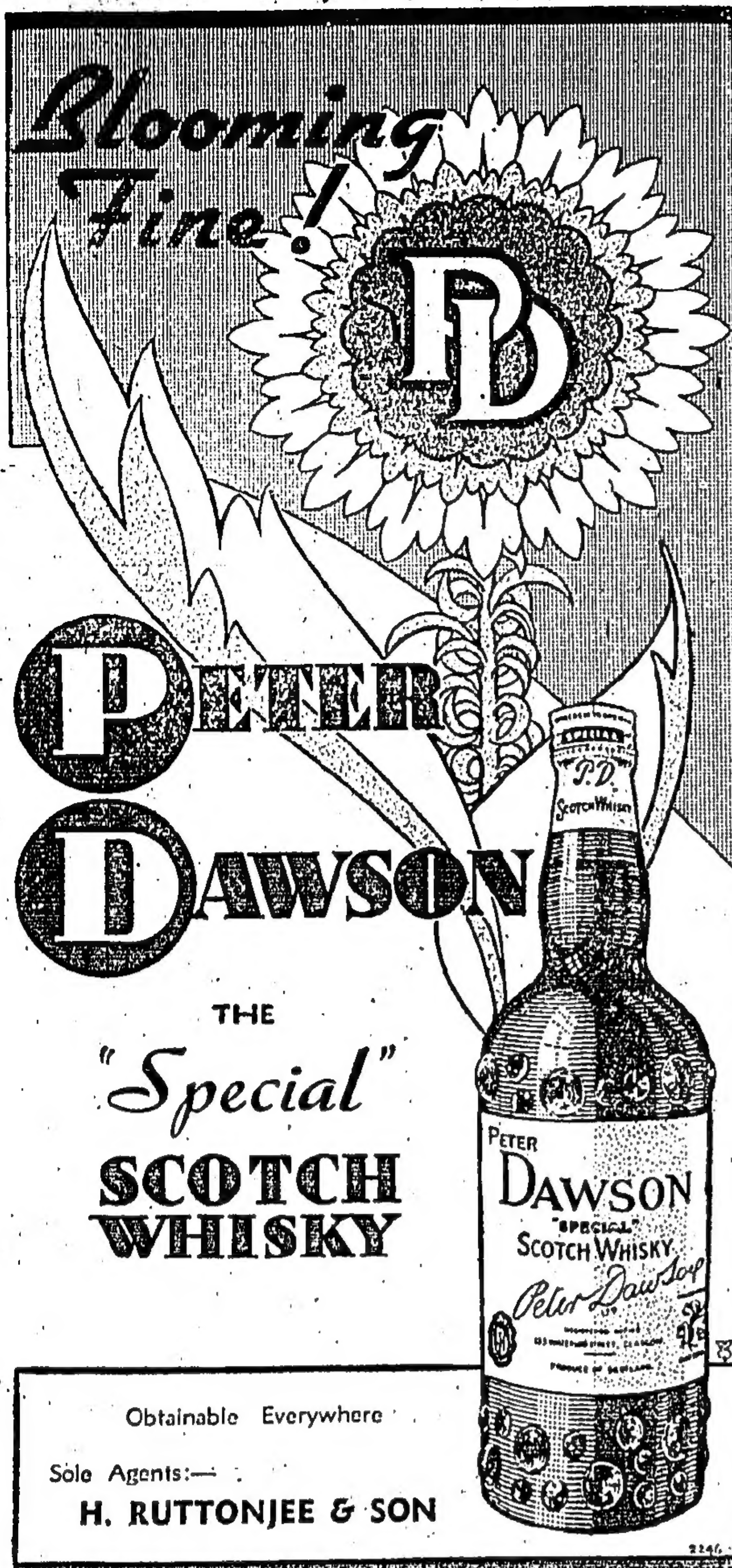
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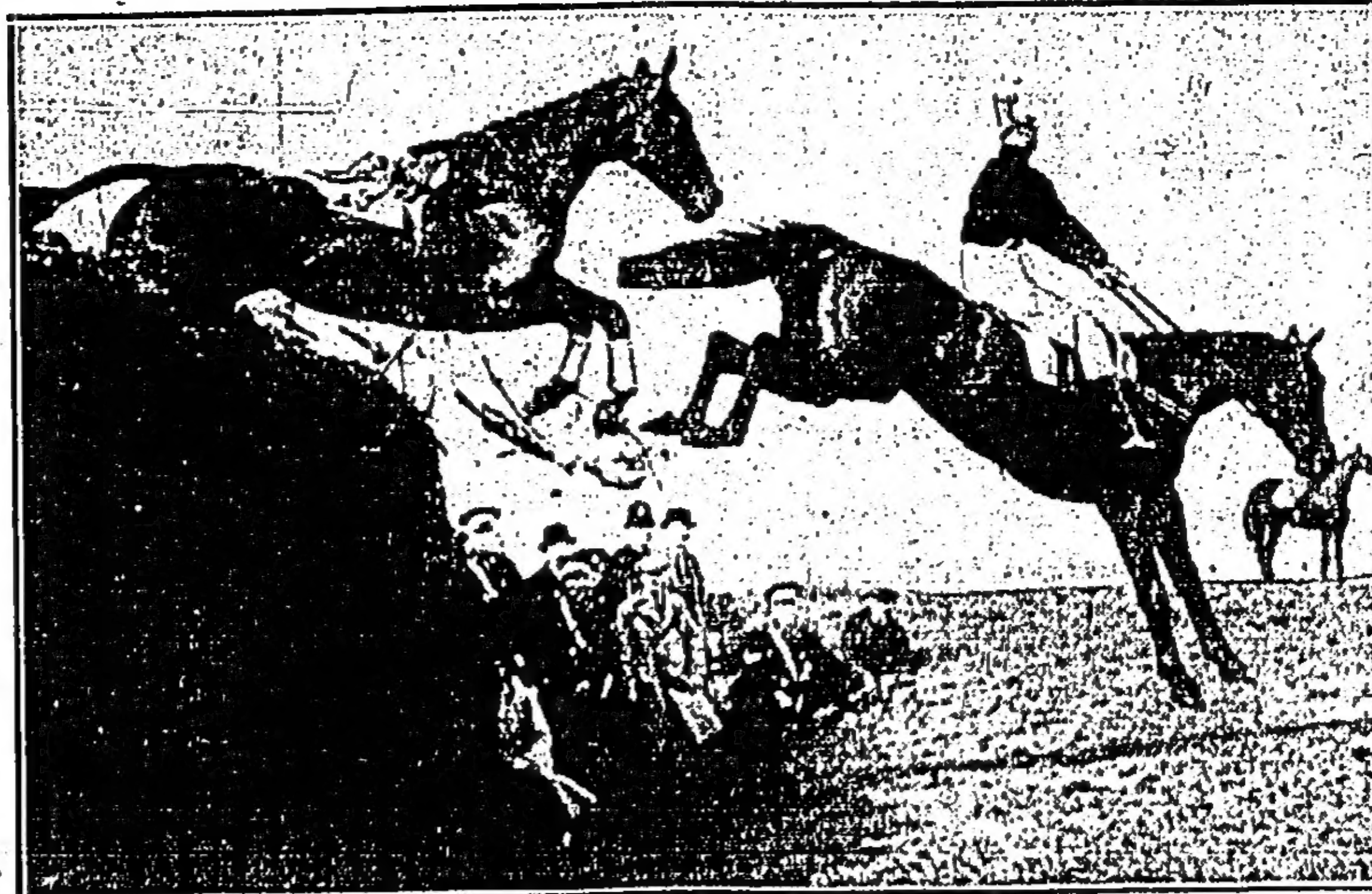


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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S CABLED QUOTATIONS

London, May 4.	Last Price	Today's Price
10% War Loan	101 1/16	102 1/16
4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eand)	102 1/2	102 1/2
4 1/2% Gold Bonds 1925-47	102 1/2	102 1/2
4 1/2% Loan 1904	99 1/2	99 1/2
4 1/2% Loan 1912	99 1/2	99 1/2
4 1/2% Loan 1918	99 1/2	99 1/2
4 1/2% Chinese Imperial Ry	98 1/2	98 1/2
4 1/2% Japanese Ry 1905	85 1/2	85 1/2
4 1/2% Japanese Ry 1911	84 1/2	84 1/2
4 1/2% Long Tin U. Hail Ry	39 1/2	39 1/2
1913	39 1/2	39 1/2
4 1/2% Tientsin-Pukow Ry (Brit)	70 1/2	70 1/2
4 1/2% Tientsin-Pukow Ry (Ger)	68 1/2	68 1/2
4 1/2% Tientsin-Pukow Ry (Brit)	67 1/2	67 1/2
4 1/2% Tientsin-Pukow Ry (Ger)	67 1/2	67 1/2
4 1/2% Japan Sterling 1907	78 1/2	78 1/2
4 1/2% Japan Sterling 1924	80 1/2	80 1/2
4 1/2% German Int Loan 1924	80 1/2	80 1/2
Chartered Bank	15 1/2	15 1/2
H.K. & Shanghai Corp	11 1/2	11 1/2
Chinese Engineering & Mining (Beier)	29 1/2	29 1/2
Chosen Corp	12 1/2	12 1/2
Pekin Syndicate	8 1/2	8 1/2
Shai Electric Construction Co	48 1/2	48 1/2
Shai Waterworks "A"	30 1/2	30 1/2
Union Insurance Soc	87 1/2	87 1/2
Gula Kaiming Rubber	42 1/2	42 1/2
Alfred Ironfounders	29 1/2	29 1/2
Associated & Electrical Industries	47 1/2	47 1/2
Austin Motors, and	42 1/2	42 1/2
7 1/2% Cable & Wireless	510 1/2	505 1/2
H.K. & W. Docks, 120/100	120 1/2	120 1/2
Bell-Amer Tob (Beier)	127 1/2	127 1/2
Camell, Lafit, and	19 1/2	19 1/2
Medican Trade	19 1/2	19 1/2
Contrauld	62 1/2	62 1/2
Distillers	101 1/2	101 1/2
Dunlop Rubber	32 1/2	32 1/2
General Electric (England)	83 1/2	83 1/2
Guinness (A) Son & Co	136 1/2	136 1/2
Lawson's Slidley Aircraft	30 1/2	30 1/2
Imperial Chemicals	67 1/2	67 1/2
Imperial Tobacco	161 1/2	161 1/2
Marks & Spencer "A", and	80 1/2	81 1/2
O.K. Hazards	47 1/2	47 1/2
10% Loan 1912	113 1/2	113 1/2
Leyland Motors	95 1/2	95 1/2
Tele & Lyte	86 1/2	86 1/2
Turner & Unwin	86 1/2	86 1/2
United Steel	29 1/2	29 1/2
Armstrong's Dimp Furnaces	29 1/2	29 1/2
Armstrong, Stevens	29 1/2	29 1/2
Pressed Steel, Com	26 1/2	26 1/2
Vickers, and	29 1/2	29 1/2
Woolworths	78 1/2	78 1/2
Anglo-Dutch	107 1/2	107 1/2
Rubber Plantation Investment Trust	38 1/2	39 1/2
Burma Corp	17 1/2	18 1/2
Commonwealth Mining	25 1/2	25 1/2
Manman Investments	25 1/2	25 1/2
London & Lancashire	62 1/2	64 1/2
Explorations Co	202 1/2	210 1/2
Sole-Nile	101 1/2	101 1/2
Tenants Gold Mining	108 1/2	116 1/2
Anglo-Iranian	108 1/2	116 1/2
Warrumb	100 1/2	102 1/2
Shell Transport (Beier)	37 1/2	37 1/2
4 1/2% Sterling Note 1925 (Victoria)	53 1/2	53 1/2
4 1/2% Canton-Kowloon Ry	66 1/2	66 1/2
4 1/2% Hukonng Ry 1911 (Ger) and	66 1/2	66 1/2

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks.
H. K. Bank, \$1870 n.
H. K. Bank, (Lon. Rg.), £118 1/2 n.
Chartered Bank, £15 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B. £33 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, C., £15 1/2 n.
East Asia Bank, \$93 b.
Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$320 b.
Union Ins., \$625 n.
China Underwriters, \$155 n.
H. K. Fire Ins., \$280 n.
Internat'l Assec., Sh. \$4 1/4 n.
Shipping.
Douglas, \$38 1/4 n.
H. K. Steamships, \$9 n.
Indo-China (Prel.), \$35 n.
Indo-China (Def.), \$50 n.
Shell (Beier), 102/6 n.
Union Waterboats, \$9 1/2 n.
Docks etc.
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Oldest Regiment

To the Editor,
The Hongkong Telegraph.

Sir,—I notice in your issue yesterday that you mention The Royal Scots as being the oldest regiment in the British Army. That is not correct. The Royal Scots are the First of Foot, admittedly.

The oldest Regiment in the British Army is The Buffs (Royal East Kent Regiment) the Third of Foot.

The Buffs were formed in 1572 from The Trained Bands of London and were sent to Scotland in the 100 Years War. On returning to England they were known as the Third of Foot.

I do not know the date of formation of The Royal Scots. I have no Army List.

X-BUFF.

FANLING GOLF

CAPTAIN'S CUP COMPETITION

In the Captain's Cup qualifying competition at Fanling during the past week-end, A. Anderson qualified on the old course with a score of 73 (91-18). There were 31 entries.

On the new course, there were five entries and Major E. C. B. Shannon qualified with a score of 73 (79-6).

RUGGER REFEREES IGNORE RULES

(Continued from Page 8.)

It is the benefit conferred on the game would be enormous.

AN EXAMPLE

Only recently I saw a match in which a visiting player was penalised for not playing the ball with the foot when he was brought to the ground and his arms were free.

On protesting to the referee he was informed that in that part of the country it was the invariable practice, and the referee added that he was not concerned with what was the general custom in England.

Such a thing would not be possible if referees met to receive expert instruction and a common interpretation of the laws.

CLIPPER AT ALAMEDA

The China Clipper landed 47 sacks of mail, including the first Far East through mail, to-day—United Press.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Fifth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 15th and Monday, 17th May, 1937, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 6th May, 1937.

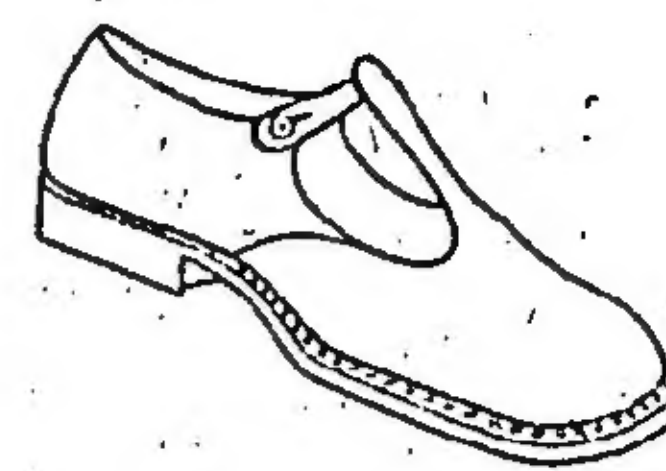
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TWO AMERICAN VAGRANTS SENT TO HOUSE OF DETENTION

Making their second appearance before a police magistrate, Henry Nidever, aged 20, and Jack Dilliner, aged 21, both of the United States of America, were brought before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistrate's this morning, charged with being vagrants in the Colony.

Det.-Sgt. F. E. Russell said arrangements were being made to repatriate both men to America, and asked that they be committed to the House of Detention in the meantime. The request was granted.

Both Nidever and Dilliner first appeared before Mr. Keen on April 28, charged with entering the Colony without valid passports. They had missed their steamer, on which they were employed, in Shanghai and stowed away on board the Dollar liner President Hoover to Hongkong. They had landed here undetected and went to see the American Consul-General, who sent them to the police.

UNION QUARTERS ATTACKED

Hollywood, May 4.

Fifty or sixty men, wearing white arm-bands and armed with small hammers and clubs, entered the headquarters of the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees, in which more than 100 persons were gathered, and attacked the assembly, seriously injuring five and damaging 20 more slightly. They left before the police arrived.—United Press.

STRIKE LEADERS DISMISSED

Shanghai, May 5.

The 300 striking chauffeurs of the Ford Taxi Service, which operates 180 cabs here, returned to work today after two weeks of idleness and six of their ring-leaders were dismissed.—Reuter.

Liner Stewards get TIPS WORTH HAVING

A SHIP'S steward has just died, leaving rather more than £10,000, and one is prone to consider that tipping in ships is disproportionate.

From seven years' experience of continuous travel in Atlantic liners, I do not think this is so. One must bear in mind that Mr. William Twigg, the steward in question, had spent some 50 years at sea. Also, it is probable that many of his "tips" were Stock Exchange tips. Financiers are perhaps more communicative at sea than they are ashore.

If there are any members of an ocean liner's staff who get more generous tips than others they would be the smokeroom stewards. In all the Atlantic liners the auction pool—the daily "flatter" on the ship's run—is bid nightly in the smokeroom. The total in the pool may be as much as £200 each night, and, according to unwritten law, a percentage of the winnings is divided among the smokeroom staff.

It is indeed a fact that while the captain may make £250 a year—and no tips—the smokeroom steward is often worth his good £2,500. Bedroom stewards in charge of suites and staterooms make good money. Promotion takes them from stern and bows cabins to those expensive staterooms amidships, where the traveller is willing to pay handsomely for the service he is entitled to expect there.

I have known the occupants of the Bridal Suite to give a five-dollar bill to their steward on bringing them a bottle of champagne. But that is Bridal Suite rates!

SOME ocean travellers do not believe in tipping at all. I remember sitting in the veranda cafe of the Mauretania at the next table to a world-famous American millionaire. He ordered three cocktails—priced one-and-threepence each—and put down a dollar bill (four shillings).

He waited so long for his three-pence change that his two companions left him to take an airing on deck.

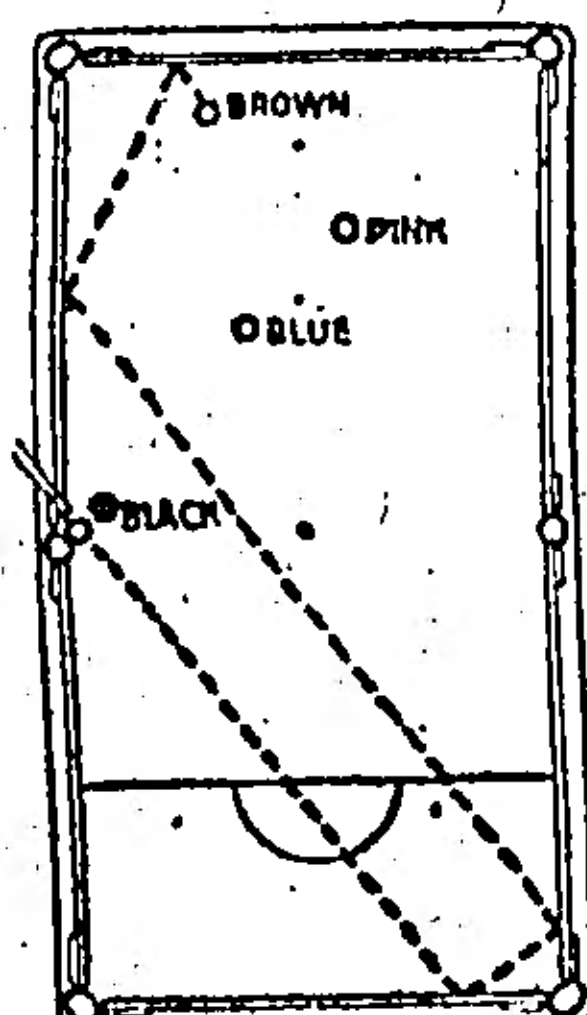
The same millionaire regularly pays his bedroom steward eight shillings at the end of the trip. But, in spite of idiosyncrasies like this, the average liner passenger knows perfectly well that he sets aside one-tenth of his passage money for tips.

THIS knowledge will be useful to those who are contemplating a cruise this year. Suppose your passage money is £30. You should spend £3 in tips, as follows:

Bedroom steward, £1.
Table steward £1.
Bath steward, Boots, Night Watchman, and the steward of the public room you have just frequented (lounge, library, smokeroom, deck, gymnasium, or swimming pool) £1, with the public-room steward getting the bigger share.

Roderick Morison

4-CUSHION SNOOKER SHOT



JOE DAVIS is firmly convinced that Horace Lindrum is a second cousin to the man who shakes off prison fetters.

The champion, in the third game of their match yesterday afternoon at Thurston's, left the white tucked "safe as houses" behind the black on the cushion, just above the middle pocket, as shown in the diagram. The object ball, the brown, was at the top of the table, and Joe thought Horace was just about snookered.

After forming a mutual admiration society for some seconds, Joe left Horace to work out his own salvation.

"Masse?" thought Horace, "don't fancy it." With a look betokening nothing venture, nothing won, Horace made up his mind.

He played on to the bottom cushion. The ball struck near the right hand pocket, rebounded to the side cushion, diagonally the cushion above black, and on to the top cushion, where, lo! and behold! it connected with the brown.

Was Joe's face red?

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SMITH INTO SUPERMAN AGAIN

*This time it's
a music lesson*

—but you're not going to have to learn how to play anything: this is the first of four articles on how to listen to what you hear when you turn on the radio—everything from classical to swing.

Smith is worried about music. He learned to use his ears before he could speak; he was soothed to sleep as an infant by music; he gets married to music.

He sings the National Anthem at football matches; he is moved, on the death of kings, by Chopin's "Funeral March." Music, in short, plays an enormous part in his everyday life, but still he is uneasy about it.

In the old days Smith might have found music something of an effort, but to-day he has only to turn a knob and he can hear all the music he wants.

And yet it frightens him. He is terrified by "classical" music as though it were a bitter medicine instead of a pleasure enjoyed by his own less experienced ancestors in the most ordinary manner.

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ONE of Smith's first difficulties about music is that it's so "foreign." Twentieth-century Smith is less of a world-citizen than the Mr. Smith who was born in 1750, less inclined to accept "un-English" ideas and art.

Most of the music Smith hears when he turns the knob of his radio set is composed by foreigners, has foreign titles, and is described in foreign languages.

He has a horror of a Greek-derived word like "symphony," which has as its root a simple word "together," he boggles at "sonata," "movement," "chamber music," "allegro," "scherzo," "trio," "finale," "andante," and the other phrases which are part of the everyday language of music.

The technical terms of music are mostly Italian, not because music first came from Italy, but because music as we know it to-day first found its feet in Italy at the beginning of the Renaissance—1400 to 1550.

Thus a word like "sonata" is Italian for music which is "sounded" as opposed to "cantata," which is music that is "sung." "Symphony" in its original Italian form, was "sinfonia"—a piece of music played by the orchestra together ("in symphony") between the scenes of an opera.

Later the composers got to like the idea of a "sinfonia" as a job of work worth doing for its own sake, and so the sinfonia left the opera house and came to be played in the concert hall.

"Symphonies" and "sonatas" (usually for one or two instruments, as Smith has learned through his loud speaker) are divided into "movements."

"Movement" refers to the movement of the music, its mood and

speed. This mood or "tempo" (Italian for "time") is again described in Italian.

★ SMITH hears the announcer say: "The work is in four movements—Allegro moderato; Andante; Scherzo; Finale: Presto; and Smith for all that he likes music, doesn't know what the man is talking about.

If Smith does happen to know Italian he will learn that though "Allegro" literally means "jolly," and the music described as "Allegro moderato" may promise to be "moderately jolly," it may quite well turn out to be an extremely earnest piece of music.

"Allegro" has become a convenient term for fast, just as "Andante" has come to mean slow, though an Italian will use the word to describe an easy walking pace.

But what about the word written "Shirts-on," and pronounced "Shirts-on," or "Fine-ale," pronounced "Finale"? Smith probably knows "Finale," because he has seen the word in musical comedy programmes, and he remembers conifer days. But "Scherzo" is a new one. It means nothing more than a "joke"—a gay, fast piece of music providing light relief.

When the announcer is through describing what is really nothing more than the composer's personal instructions to the conductor, Smith comes up against the more serious and complicated business of listening.

Try these tests

• They will recall some
of Smith's earlier lessons

1. Can you think of any reason why America was discovered in 1492 and not at some other date?

About ten years earlier the Turks captured Constantinople, and it became increasingly difficult to obtain sufficient supplies of spices. These were needed to flavour the usual diet of salted meat.

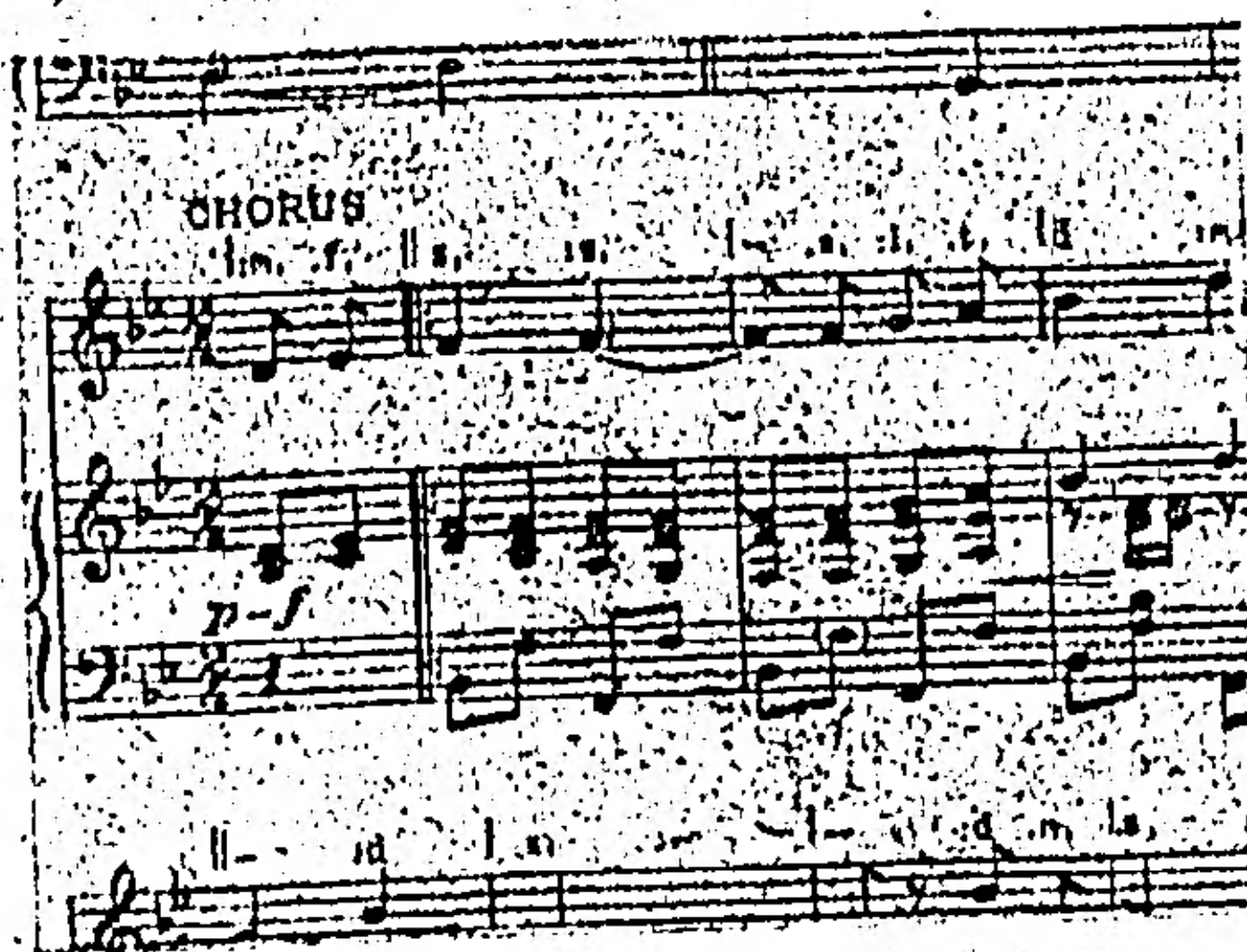
Men, therefore, began to look for new routes to the Indies. Columbus believed that by travelling westward he would reach China and the Indies, and he put his theory to the test of experiment. He came on America on the way.

2. Why were so many canals dug towards the end of the 18th century and the beginning of the 19th?

There was a large increase in population, especially in towns. These people had to be fed and goods carried to them.

The roads, usually made simply by ploughing and levelling, were incredibly bad, and useless for transport; there were no railways until after George Stephenson got his steam engine going in 1825. So canals were dug for transport purposes.

YOU MAY NOT
KNOW WHAT THIS
MEANS, BUT IT
DOESN'T REALLY MATTER



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—IT'S "TIPPERARY," AS A MATTER OF FACT

How does Smith listen?

He will not stop to ask what music is for, nor what it means, because the National Anthem when he hears nobody knows; but he should not let the radio off because he cannot answer these questions.

Smith's first preference for music will probably be for music played on the piano.

Famous pianists are always more successful with the public than other instrumentalists because they play an instrument we all know fairly intimately, and which even a cat can produce a noise from.

★ WITH one finger we can play a note on the piano.

which will sound a note not so different from Paderewski's one finger. (But it will be different.)

But a violin!... you've got to hold it up, have a bow in the other hand, drag it across the strings, and then produce a sound that resembles nothing on earth.

The piano has one great advantage as an instrument to listen to. Smith will find that it gives him all the richness of tone of an orchestra without asking of him that he should differentiate between individual instruments.

A piano—which is a black and white instrument to look at—gives you music in black-and-white. It is the ground plan of music.

But, just as blue prints can be extremely beautiful in themselves, so can the piano.

Smith, listening to a Chopin nocturne, will hear on the piano what the composer intended—long melodic lines suggestive of the human voice.

The human voice—that same organ with which Smith asks for a mild-and-bitter—is not only the foundation of all music, but the ultimate criterion by which music is judged, to which all music strives.

The human voice by itself is capable only of producing a tune. So Smith listening to music should since he can produce a tune, be able to hear a tune.

And given a good conductor Smith, when he turns on a broad-sounding symphony concert, will hear what the conductor wants to hear: the tune.

Good music is only a collection of tunes, whatever you may say.

★ TO appreciate linerick is one thing; to understand a Shakespeare sonnet is another. But

(of their kind) they are both poetry. And so Smith, once he can recognise the National Anthem when he hears it, is well on the way to appreciating the radio off because he cannot answer these questions.

It is purely a question of practice—like seeing the ball at cricket.

Music students who are brought up the right way are told to listen to as much music, of all kinds, as possible—to get used to the sound of music.

That is what Smith, student-listener, should do. He should accept, to begin with, the greatness of Haydn, Mozart, Schubert and Beethoven. He will learn later to estimate their greatness for himself.

Smith, listening to his first orchestral broadcast, may feel confused at first that the tunes of a symphony are not always played by the same instruments.

But in a short while his ears will become accustomed to being unassisted by the eye. Smith's ear will run across the orchestra in the same way that his eye adjusts itself to the different type-sizes used as headings on Page One of the Daily Express.

And, like newspaper headings, these instruments will tell him stories, give him different aspects, possibilities, opinions of the facts (tunes)—that go to make up a symphony.

★ HE will find hard news in the first movement—a true tune stated, barely, developed, and other subsidiary tune introduced reverently as a sidelight on the story.

The slow movement will give him more facts—the deep emotional facts of a Courts page.

The third movement—scherzo or minuet—will provide the entertainment gallery of the feature pages—the Home Page Cat and Beachcomber might issue straight from a Haydn symphony.

The finale leaves Smith fully satisfied—sports pages and pictures rolled into one; no great intellectual effort needed, but its absence would leave an unaccountable feeling of discontent.

★ SOLDIER who is no burglar. 30 Kind words of appreciation from Persia.

31 Something, or somebody you can't think of.

32 What people who differ may come to.

DOWN

1 A regular dust-up in the desert.

2 The bed is after the 6.50 in Suburban.

3 Make up or settle down.

4 Shows Buttons insects.

5 Tassel (anag).

6 Like a flute with an organ.

7 Continental capital.

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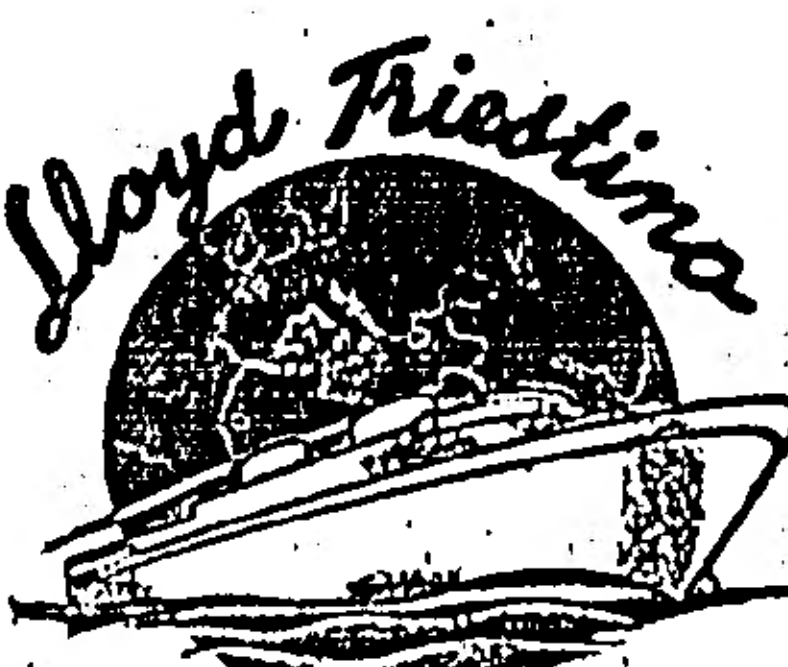
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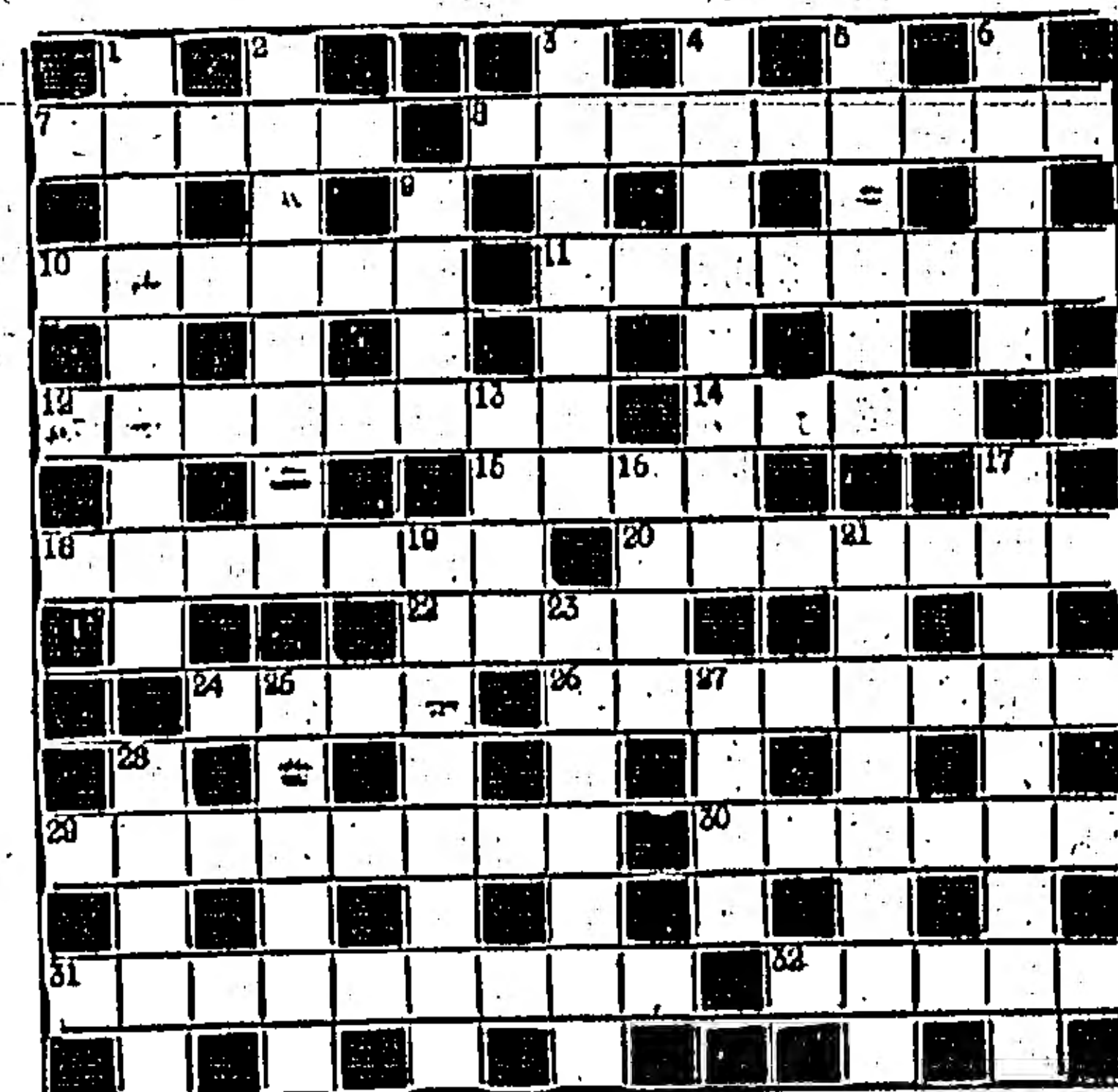
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- Often heard spoken of as four words when they actually cover pages.
- Trying to learn.
- Is a reverse.
- Undid.
- There's something of a swindle in being so closely confined.
- It would be saltier without any vegetable.
- The noes have it.
- Not up to much (hyphen, 2, 2).
- Cuckoo!
- Soldier who is no burglar.
- Kind words of appreciation from Persia.
- Something, or somebody you can't think of.
- What people who differ may come to.

DOWN

- A regular dust-up in the desert.
- The bed is after the 6.50 in Suburban.
- Make up or settle down.
- Shows Buttons insects.
- Tassel (anag).
- Like a flute with an organ.
- Continental capital.
- The reverse of a do.
- Made out of pens to give the monk oass. (Oh dear!)

- A more wise alternative to tedious.
- So huge that no mouse could swallow it.
- Yet one could scarcely describe such a rabbit as "crop-eared" (hyphen, 3, 5).
- You are known by this.
- Never all square, though it is admitted that the sides are equal.
- H'm, I suppose it is a bit of a triumph.
- Comes from the moon.

Yesterday's Solution

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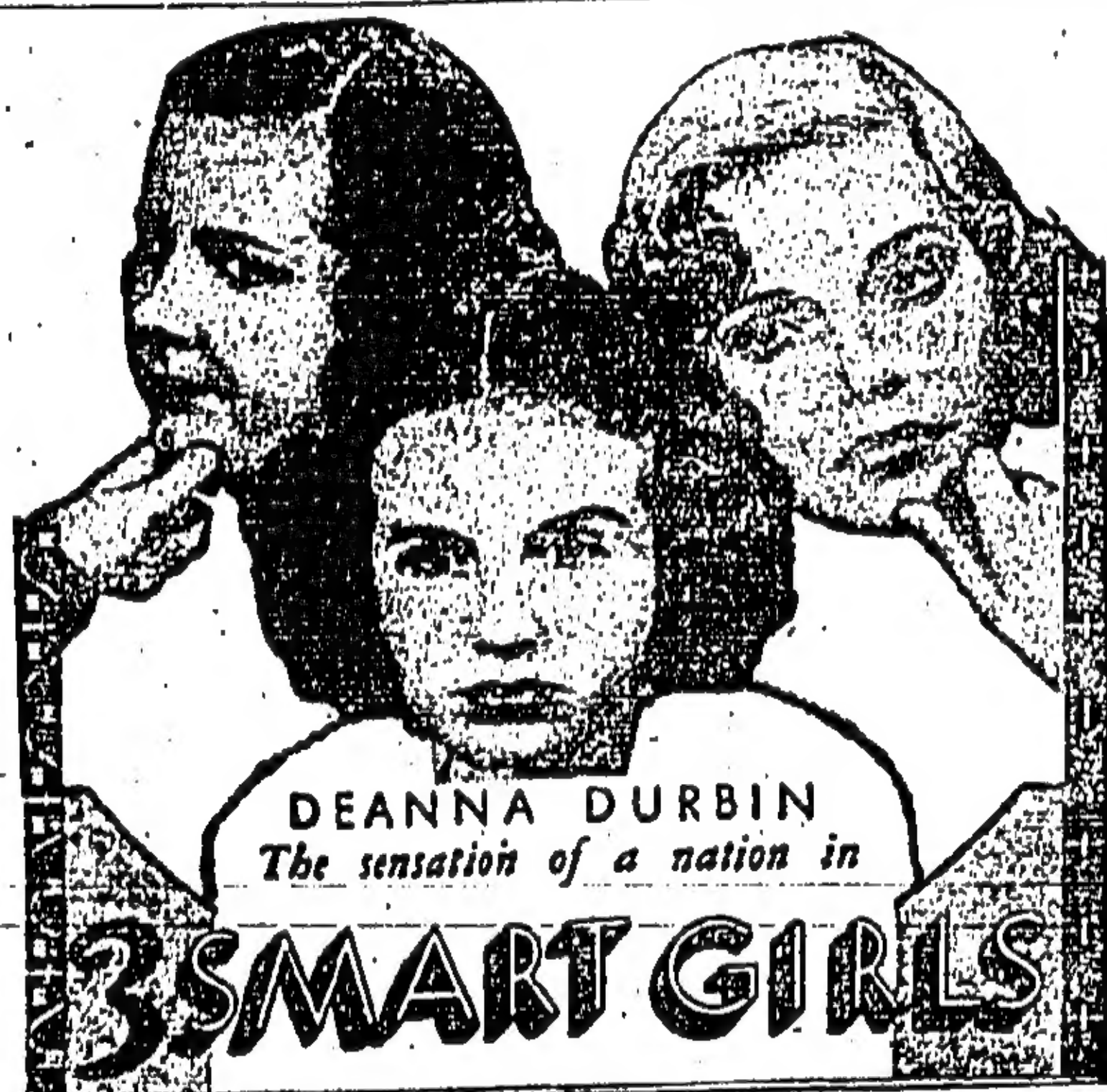
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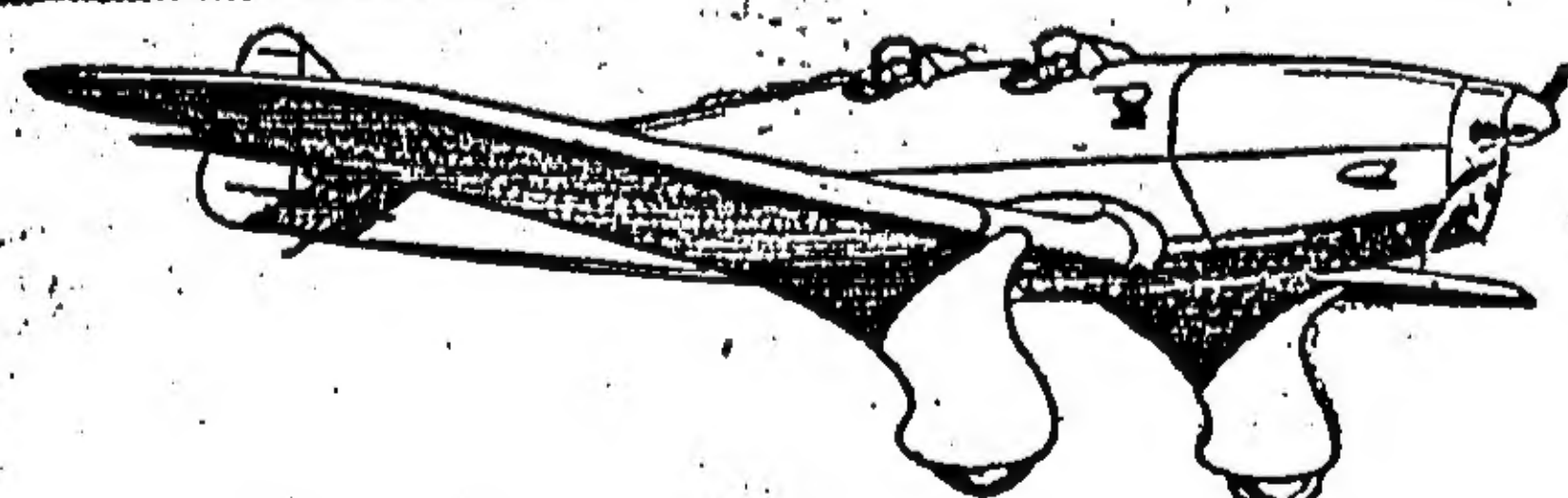
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Britain Garbed In Finery For Coronation Day

WHOLE COUNTRY INFECTED WITH SPIRIT OF GAIETY Work to Settle Busmen's Strike Behind Scenes

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, May 4.

With only one week remaining before the glittering ceremony of the Coronation itself, London has gone thoroughly gay. The route of the Coronation procession has become a fairland of coloured bunting, red, white and blue decorations, while nearly all the public stands have been completed and will accommodate hundreds of thousands of spectators, who will pay anything from half a guinea to 20 guineas for a seat.

The masonry of the upper stories of Oxford Street has literally been ripped open to provide a view of the procession to sight-seers.

It is estimated that London at present is entertaining 1,000,000 visitors. An armada of huge overseas liners is packed to capacity with people from all parts of the world, arriving daily at the various seaports, in bewildering succession.

High Tribute To China

Paid By Mr. Eden At London Banquet

Ambassador Plays Host To Notables

London, May 4.
At the banquet given to-night at Claridge's Hotel by Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese Ambassador, in honour of the Chinese delegates to the Coronation of King George VI, there were about forty Chinese and foreign guests. The room was charmingly decorated with spring flowers, and the occasion was noteworthy for the pleasant atmosphere of general easy friendliness.
The Chinese Ambassador, in proposing the toast of "The Guests," said: "Last year, at the time of the Chinese Art Exhibition, we Chinese walked proudly in London, and London was very China-conscious. To-day, the process is happily reversed, and the Chinese in London are enthusiastically Britain-conscious, heartily submerging ourselves in the universal manifestation of respect and admiration for the new King and Queen."

DESCENDANT OF CONFUCIUS

Mr. Quo Tai-chi drew attention to the fact that Dr. H. H. Kung, the head of the Chinese delegation, was not only Vice-President of the Executive Yuan, but was also the seventy-fifth lineal descendant of Confucius. He was thus an embodiment of the two ways in which China and Britain meet in unity of instinct. Admiral Chen, also a member of the delegation was no stranger, said Mr. Quo, and he was now happily renewing old sailorly contacts.
Mr. Quo expressed the pleasure and honour which they all felt that Mr. Nevill Chamberlain and Mr. Anthony Eden were sparing time to be present in these crowded days.
Mr. Anthony Eden, in replying to the toast, said nobody with any imagination could fail to be stirred by the striking recovery which China had made from the troubles of a

All the Dominions' Prime Ministers and the Empire's contingents of sailors and soldiers have now arrived.

On Coronation Day 10,000 members of the St. John Ambulance Brigade will cope with the vast crowds' casualties at 35 dressing stations and 60 first aid stations.

The whole country is infected with gaiety. The smallest villages, like the towns and cities, are ablaze with bunting and decorated with all manner of patriotic devices.

The only disappointment in London is over the failure of the busmen to settle their strike, but even this the people are accepting with their usual good humour, despite the heavy congestion in underground trains and all other forms of conveyance. Efforts are being directed towards securing settlement of the dispute before the week-end.—*Reuter Special*.

STRIVE FOR SETTLEMENT

London, May 4.
It is understood that definite moves are proceeding behind the scenes to try to get London busmen to resume their work towards the end of the week.

It is gathered that the aim is to get the men to return to work on the ground of a complete settlement, but on the basis of a resumption of work pending negotiations on a pre-arranged plan for final settlement.—*Reuter*.

CORONATION HOLIDAY

The Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce has received a notification from the British Chamber of Commerce, Shanghai, that the Member Banks of the Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers Association have agreed to declare a holiday on Wednesday, May 12, to mark the occasion of the Coronation of H. M. King George VI.

decade ago. This was especially pleasing to Britain, which was united to China by ties of very ancient friendship. It was yet another proof of the intrinsic vitality of the Chinese race and of their ability to adapt themselves to new circumstances.

In conclusion, Mr. Eden paid a warm tribute to the wise leadership of Marshal Chiang Kai-shek.—*Reuter*.

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Boston gained ground at the expense of St. Louis in the National League to-day, hitting sixteen times to the Cardinals' pathetic three, and scoring eight runs to one. There were no errors.

Pittsburgh, top of the League, continued to set the pace, swamping the Brooklyn Dodgers with ten runs to three, though actually the Dodgers out-hit them. Brooklyn had ten safeties and the Pirates only eight, but Dickshot, in truly piratical style, hit a homer and scored a crowd ahead of him on the bags to steal the game. Brooklyn only scored three times. Each had one error.

New York defeated the lagging Cincinnati Reds, seven to six, Bartlett hitting two home runs. The Giants hit fourteen to nine, but their three errors allowed the Reds to score six runs and might have been disastrous but for Bartlett's batting.

Chicago Cubs went on a spree, hit nineteen safeties and scored fourteen runs. Collins, Marty and Bottarini hit homers. Philadelphia piled up the remarkable total of 27 hits but could only harvest seven runs. Wilson hit a homer. Phillies had two errors.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

The New York Yankees shook Detroit badly, for the League-leading Tigers were held to four hits and a lone run against the slugging Yanks, whose fourteen hits yielded ten runs. Yankees had two and Detroit one error.

Boston, striving for a place this season, whipped St. Louis eleven to six, hitting eighteen times to the Browns' thirteen, and committing one error, one less than their opponents. Gaffke contributed a useful home run, and Bell homered, for the Browns.

Washington overwhelmed Cleveland, with twenty hits and twelve runs after eleven innings of play. In that fateful last inning the Senators went wild, hitting right and left, and the Indians, befuddled, fell into four errors. The Indians scored five runs on twelve hits.

The Philadelphia-Chicago game was postponed on account of rain.—*Reuter*.

"JUAN IN CHINA" WAS AMUSED

SAW WELL-FLESHED GIRLS AND DRANK GIN-SMASH

"Juan went ashore at Hongkong to marvel at such solemn respectability established in a landscape so undisciplined and lovely.
"There were parts of the city that looked like an extension of Leadenhall Street. Its pillars and grey pilasters spoke of high finance. It advertised the gravity of imperial commerce. The long harbour was crowded with shipping, and from shore innumerable sampans sped, the sturdy well-fleshed Chinese sailed or rowed.
"Less muscular than this maritime gynaecocracy, but not less vocal, were the wives of well-paid civilians and of less-well-paid naval officers, who were shopping in splendid shops or conferred upon affairs of moment in the lounge of a fine hotel.
"And in the Hongkong Club, among the prosperously large and dignified citizens of Empire, in furniture of imperial magnitude and in semi-eccelesiastical gloom, Juan drank a notable drink—one of the many that the servants of Britain Overseas have invented for the comfort of their unceasing labour—called a gin-smash.
"Juan in China," by Eric Linklater. Published by Jonathan Cape.

Trolleys And Trams Likely To Strike Too

London, May 4.
The definite possibility has arisen that tram and trolley-bus men may strike in sympathy with the London bus-workers.

Delegates of the workers are meeting to-day and will demand "plenary powers for strike action" from the executive of the Transport Workers' Union.

According to the secretary of the Western Area Trolley-bus Co-ordination Committee if the demand of the men is refused they are likely to take unofficial action.—*Reuter*.

PAPAL NOTE TO GERMANY

Vatican City, May 4.
The controversy between the Vatican and the German Government over the position of Catholics in Germany was carried a stage further to-day when a Papal Note, replying to recent allegations, was handed to the German Minister to the Holy See.—*Reuter*.

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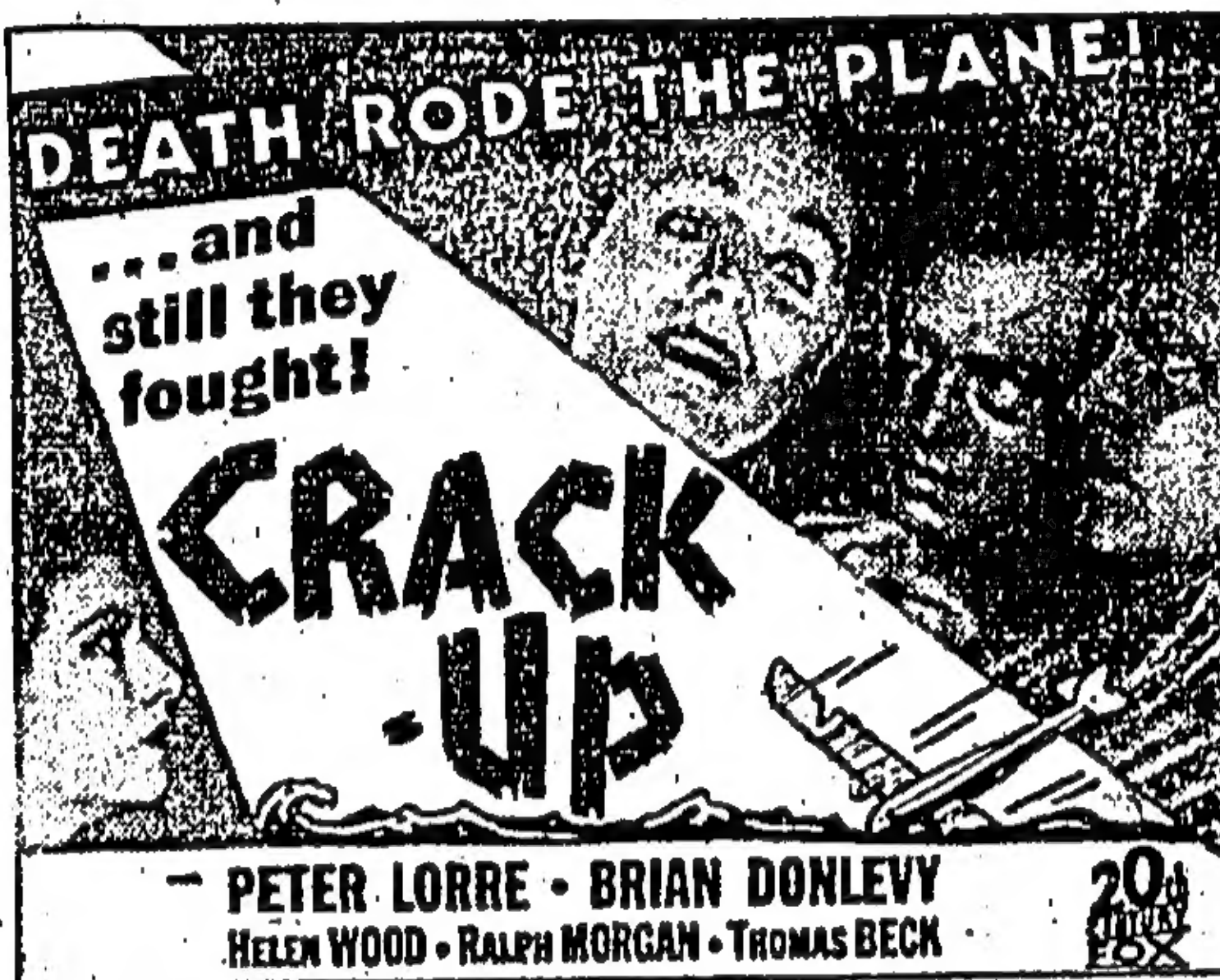


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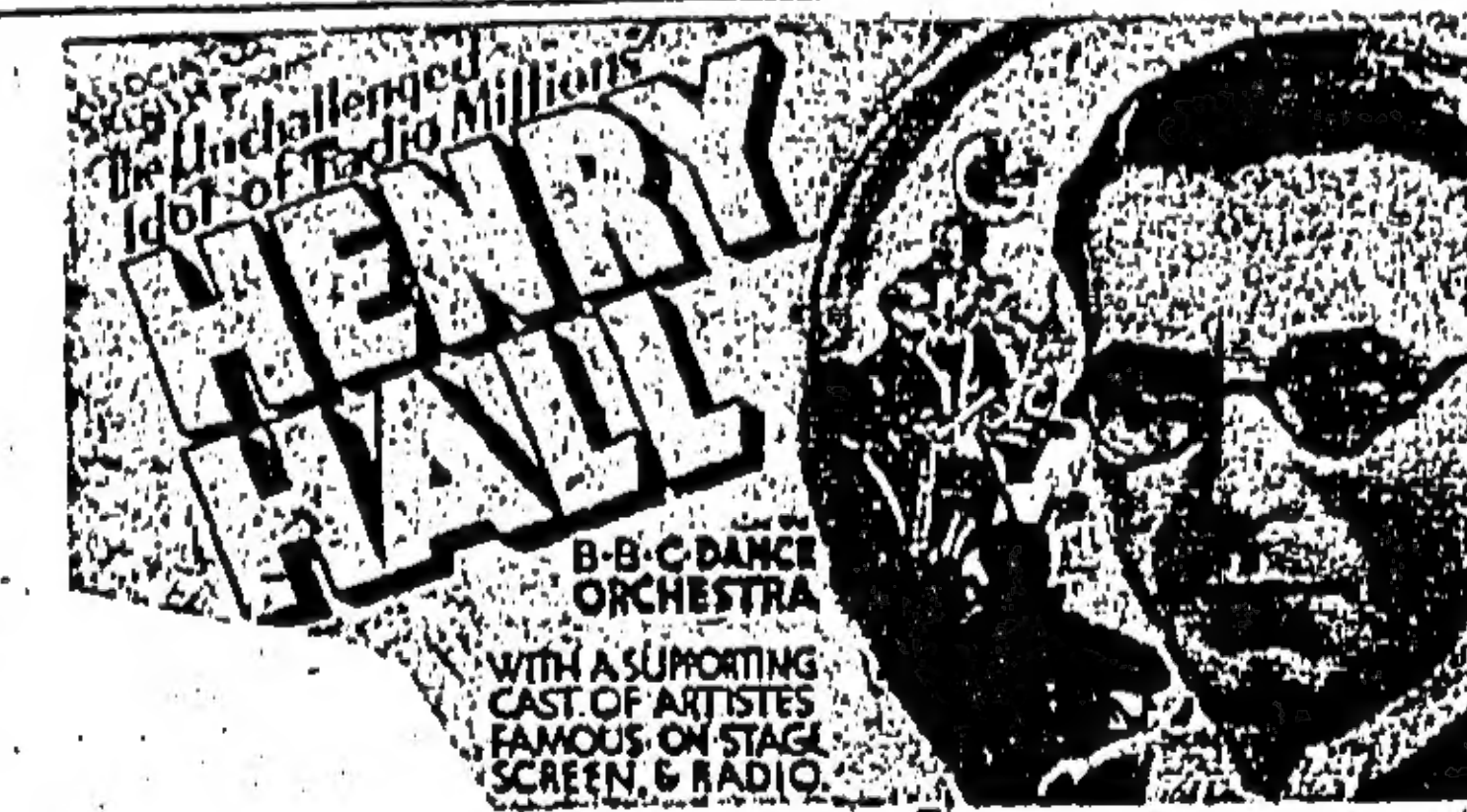


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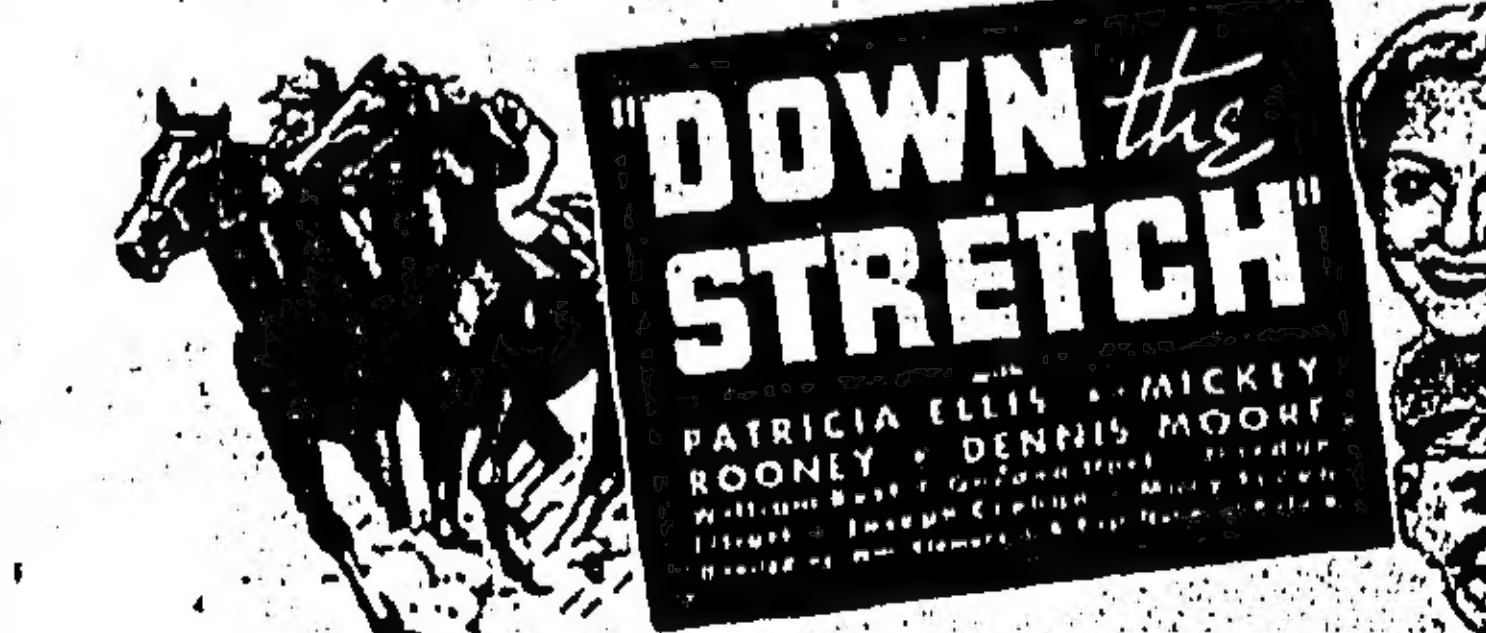


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